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BUSINESS SPECIALS.
Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. The Christmas run is now on at the Cottage Studio. You will want some of our dollar specials.
Native turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens and fowl for Thanksgiving at O. P. Brooks.
\$1.50 and \$1.25 waists 98c, Saturday, Nov. 12 only, L. M. Lunt.
Big search light, \$1.75 and \$5.00, at Wm. C. Leavitt's.
I will pay a good price for twenty good turkeys, J. Pledge.
A window full of leaf sage at Stone's.
Wanted pocket knives and shears at Wm. C. Leavitt's.
Lots of new books at Noyes Drug Store.
See the green trading stamp premiums in our window, L. M. Lunt.
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A few of those kid gloves left at 69c a pair at Thomas Smiley's.
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Pure leaf sage at Noyes Drug Store.
Ladies' unlined boots for \$2.50 and \$3.00 at Smiley Shoe Store.
Green trading stamps at Wm. C. Leavitt's.
Outing channel night robes, 50c, 75c, \$1 at L. M. Lunt's.
A good skirt for \$1.49 at S. B. & Z. S. Penick's.
I will pay a good price for twenty good turkeys, J. Pledge.
A new line of books, \$1.50 book for 90c, at latest times at Stone's.
New games, Sherlock Holmes, Bid, Down the Pike with Mrs. Wiggs at the St. Louis Exposition, 50c at Stone's.
Oak stoves, very low prices, at Wm. C. Leavitt's.
Pure leaf sage, 40c lb., at Stone's.
Large second-hand wood heater \$7.00 at Wm. C. Leavitt's.
Typewriting done. Miss Gregg, public library.
We have selected the best poultry that could be found for our Thanksgiving trade. Be wise and place your order with us. The prices are reasonable, O. P. Brooks.
Try Hayes' Peerless Cream Bread at Norway Bakery. See ad.
See popcorn at Wm. C. Leavitt's.
See the line of outing night robes at Thomas Smiley's.
Native turkeys for Thanksgiving can be had at O. P. Brooks' by placing your order in season.
NORWAY AND VICINITY.
Foot Ball Illustrated.
Friday afternoon, while playing with her two brothers, the seven years old daughter of Walter S. Chandler fell and broke a thigh bone. She is recovering well.
The children were discussing "foot ball" in the kitchen of their home. One of the brothers illustrated a movement, showing Evelyn down and breaking the leg near the thigh.
Minister's Salary Increased.
Last Sabbath was Epworth League Rally Day at the Methodist church. The pastor's subject was "The Open Door to the Young People of To-day." 1st Cor. xiv, 6. The Junior League was also present in a body. The communion service that followed was very large. There was a reception of new members into the League in the evening, and the service was full of life and power.
Presiding elder Ladd held a quarterly meeting at the Methodist church, Monday evening of this week, consisting of a very helpful sermon and a very pleasant business session with the official board, who reported the running expenses of the church paid to date, and increased the pastor's salary one hundred dollars.
The committee of the Ladies' Circle of the Methodist church are making repairs on the parsonage this week.
S. J. Record was in Lewiston, Wednesday, on business.
There will be a box supper and entertainment at the chapel schoolhouse, North Norway, Saturday evening, November 19.
Fred H. Cummings has been quite sick for several days caused by poisoning from eating honey. He is recovering nicely.
Ransom D. Gould removed the fixtures from the meat store corner of Main and Bridge streets and they are stored in the Hard blacksmith shop.
Mrs. W. S. Partridge of Norway Lake caught her foot in the oilcloth and fell, putting her hand on the hot stove. Her foot was badly though not seriously burned.
Arthur Lewis has moved his family into the upper part of Edwin Thompson's house, lately vacated by Mrs. Harnden, who has gone to South Paris to board with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Thimble.
The quiet club met with Mrs. Chas. S. Akers on Tuesday evening. The rooms were decorated with flags and flags floated the position of the members of the club, these flags being kept as souvenirs. It was one of the pleasant gatherings of the club.
W. B. Chaffee and wife of Providence, R. I., are stopping at the Beal's House. They arrived Tuesday evening. Mr. Chaffee is a teller in the Atlantic National Bank of that city, and he tells us that a pleasant call last Monday from Cashier H. D. Smith of the Norway National Bank.
Messrs. Ryerson & Howe of Yaggar recently sold twenty months old hogs. They weighed 470 and 411, and the shrinkage was 18 pounds, and they got 7 cents per pound or \$61.04 for the two. They were sent to E. W. Penley of Auburn.
Next.
The plays of the Rice Stock Company were heavily patronized the latter part of the week and were up to the promise made by the management that the plays would grow better as the week progressed. Thursday night's play was "The Orphans," which was well done. Friday night was what is said to have been the best performance of the old familiar "The Lyons" ever given here. After the regular performance was the amateur play, which consisted of a brief exhibition of tumbling by Ned Cross and Harry Holden, and was a very creditable act. They were awarded the prize of a \$5 ticket. There were good audiences at the house at which Sunset Mines was presented and the evening performance Saturday night of Jesse James. A remarkably clean and well behaved company off the stage they made many friends in their stay here.

Subscription Rates.
2 months, 25 cents.
3 months, 35 cents.
4 months, 50 cents.
6 months, 75 cents.
NUMBER 46.
Norway Municipal Court.
There were two drunks and an assault for Monday morning. Frank Buks was fined \$5.00 and costs for intoxication and \$5.00 and costs for assault and Chas. Usher \$5.00 and costs for being drunk. The total fine and costs amounted to \$43.32.
The above sum was paid by contributions from friends and many unfavorable comments were made as to the size of the fines and costs. We give the itemized cost as taxed by the court, viz:—
COSTS OF THE ASSAULT CASE.
Complaint and warrant.....\$ 1.00
Entry, etc......25
Trial......25
Court travel......25
Subpoena......10
Officers' fees......12
Witness......12
Court room......3.00
Court fine.....\$10.45
Cash actually paid.....\$15.45
Discount from amount taxed.....\$ 2.00
COSTS OF DRUNK—SAME PARTY AS ASSAULT.
Complaint and warrant.....\$ 1.00
Entry, etc......25
Trial......25
Court travel......25
Subpoena......10
Officers' fees......12
Witness......12
Court room......3.00
Court fine.....\$14.57
Cash actually paid.....\$19.57
Discount from amount taxed.....\$ 2.00
The total amount paid by the offender, first offense, for assault and drunk, \$25.84. The total costs as taxed on warrant \$35.02, discount \$3.18.
COST OF THE OTHER DRUNK.
Above.....\$19.57
Cash actually paid.....\$24.09
Discount from amount taxed.....\$ 2.00
It is noticeable that the same discount is made in this case as in the assault. \$2.00. Wherein and why we don't know. The drunk and assault (same person) was \$26.84 and the drunk another person but of the same party, \$17.45. It must be remembered that this was the first offense and that the arrest, confinement, trial and sentence were done at once and the same time—a kind of wholesale business and many think, especially those who "chipped in" to pay, that the amount is excessive.
Personally we express no opinion but give the figures as appear on the court records and will allow our readers to draw their own conclusions.
On Tuesday Lewis Oheros was arraigned on complaint of George Constance charged with carrying dangerous weapons and threatening to kill. Judge Davis gave him his choice of furnishing bonds to keep the peace or to leave the county, and the respondent took the latter course.
Thanksgiving Ball.
The twenty-first annual Thanksgiving ball will be given under the auspices of Pinesseewassee Lodge, No. 18, K. of P., at Norway Opera House, Thursday evening, Nov. 24. The length of time this ball has been conducted speaks louder than anything we can say for its good management. It has always been a success both financially and socially.
The music will be by Stearns' Orchestra. Floor manager, O. M. Cummings; aids, E. H. Allen, Thomas Thibodeau, W. A. Lewis, W. H. Woodworth, V. L. Partridge; honorary aids, L. R. Rounds of Waterford, Walter Holden of Oxford, H. G. Fletcher of South Paris. The gallery tickets will be on sale at Stone's, Saturday, Nov. 19th.
Measles are again prevalent this season.
Addie Shattuck is visiting her relatives in Canaan, Mass.
Mrs. Dorcas Barrows and her sister Lovisa Chamberlain, are quite ill.
Bertha Loring of Dorchester, Mass., was a guest of Etta Nevers, Sunday.
Douglass Farrar is moving his family into Alfred Hebbard's rent on Tucker street.
Mrs. Frank Barker from Bath spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Otto Schuner.
A white deer that was shot in northern Piscataquis county is being mounted at Nash's.
Henry Davis and wife of Rumford Falls have moved into the rent over Posa's store.
Mrs. Joseph Woods has broken up housekeeping and gone to her parents at Kennebunk.
Mrs. Joseph M. Odiorne of Richmond was a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Smith, last week.
Dr. E. Calvin Walker is moving to the village and is to have a rent on Beal street near Fern.
Henry Williams, wife and son Harold of Dorchester, Mass., were at F. E. De Coster's over Sunday.
The Silver Grey whist club began the season with a meeting entertained by George A. Brooks and wife.
Fred Wentzel and wife of Auburn came to Norway Saturday. He has gone on a hunting trip to the line.
The W. R. C. are to have a dinner, Thursday, Nov. 17, at G. A. R. hall, the proceeds to go to the Old Ladies' Home.
The meeting of Norway Board of Trade will be held in K. G. E. (Ryerson) hall this Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.
Lucius C. Starr has returned from Thomaston, where he has been laying brick this summer, to work at the Beal's House.
Mrs. H. L. Horne, who is in New York with friends because of poor health, is reported to be much improved by the change.
Mrs. H. C. Oxnard and Mrs. B. W. Marston will entertain the Norway Center circle at the chapel on Wednesday, Nov. 16.
Sophia Tutts is reported as rapidly improving at the hospital. Friends have received letters written by herself this week.
We have some old newspaper—we don't want to keep them but want to sell them. Do you want some to put under carpets or on shelves? They are news-paper and the ink is said to be good in keeping out vermin.

THE NORWAY ADVERTISER
(OXFORD COUNTY, ME.)
Concert Saturday Night.
The board was put up Monday night at the box office and there was quite a line of people who wished to secure good seats for the High School course of entertainments. From the number disposed of and checked, although there are excellent seats yet to be had, it looks as if a very successful course was in prospect.
On next Saturday evening, the first of the concert will be presented, The John Thomas Concert Co. This company is headed by John Thomas, who will give humorous songs, recitals and impersonations, and has very few equals in that line. Annie Webster Thomas is the violinist and has few equals on that list of instruments. Beautiful bowing, sweet and powerful tone and superb technique are characteristic of her work as a virtuoso.
Adelaide Louise Wood is pianist and has great ability coupled with careful training, supporting the other stars sympathetically and with much power.
Norway Grange Sale.
The Norway Grange will have their sale at Concert Hall, Thursday evening and evening, Nov. 17th. They will have aprons, fancy goods, ice cream and cake and food cooked by the patrons. One of the things that everyone will want will be a copy of their new cook book that contains hundreds of the most practical recipes ever gotten together in one book. These recipes are all of them something that can be used and are good enough for company or good enough for home.
People out of town, who cannot attend this sale, may obtain a copy by writing to "Mrs. H. J. Bangs, Norway, Me." and enclosing 25 cents.
In the evening there will be a musical and literary program. A famous Fortune Teller will draw the curtain for those who desire to look into the future.
Congregational Roll Call.
The annual roll call of the Second Congregational church was held Thursday evening and was one of the most pleasant and helpful meetings the church has held for a long time. Two tables were spread the whole length of the vestry, providing room for all who were present, numbering seventy. In response to names a number of letters were read from those who are away from town but who in former days were walkers in the church and whose interest is yet great in the old home church. Several addresses were made by the members present which were helpful and listened to with close interest.
Encouraging reports were given and officers were chosen as follows:
Clerk and Treasurer—H. L. Horne.
Deacons for three years—Irring A. Bean and H. L. Plummer.
Standing Committee—D. Andrews, H. L. Horne, Dea. Irving Bean, Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews, Mrs. Geo. Holmes, Mrs. W. S. Partridge, Visiting Committee—George Swain, Mrs. A. J. Stearns, Mrs. W. Frank Cox, Mrs. C. N. Tibbels, Mrs. Anna Keene, Mrs. E. N. Swett, Mrs. Julia Horne, Mrs. S. S. Riddout.
The members then gathered in the vestry and a brief program of entertainment given consisting of readings by Lizzie Foss and Mrs. H. L. Bartlett and piano duets by Edith Parker and Lizzie Foss. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social way.
"Our Folks"—Three Act Drama.
The ceaseless workers called the Good Cheer society of the Universalist church of South Paris are to present the above drama at Concert Hall, this Thursday evening. They are to be accompanied with a good orchestra and Fred Hall is expected to take some of his plucky specialties between acts. I don't doubt they will be welcomed with a good house.
They played this drama at South Paris recently and it was very favorably received and well spoken of. There are eleven characters in the play and each acts well their part. Remember it is this Thursday evening.
Mrs. J. A. Harding of Brewer is visiting at her son's, Mr. and Mrs. Will Young's.
George Millett is spending a few weeks at West Norway, where he has a brother's store while he takes a vacation.
A whist party was given at Charles Walker's Tuesday evening, which was a very pleasant gathering attended by some dozen guests.
The Mother's club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 with Mrs. W. Chick, Paris street. All mothers are earnestly invited to attend.
The Veranda club held a dollar party at the home of Miss M. A. Crooker, Nov. 10, in the evening. This party will take the place of the annual sale.
A white chipmunk, which is a great curiosity, was shot by a Webber boy on Elm Hill. It was bought by Harry Lane, who is to have it mounted by Nash.
The thermometer registered 6 above Wednesday morning. A heavy fog the night before had enshrouded the trees and at sunrise they presented a beautiful sight.
Samuel H. Howe of Laverne, Minn., who visited here some months ago, is in Portland and is very sick with Bright's disease. His friends despair of his recovery.
The ladies of the Congregational church will serve a salad and baked bean supper at their vestry next Wednesday evening. An entertainment will follow the supper.
Mrs. J. G. Rich of Bethel, widow of the famous hunter of that region in his younger years, came to Norway Monday, where she is to enter the Old Ladies' Home.
At the meeting of Norway Lodge, No. 16, I. O. O. F., held Tuesday evening, a candidate was given the third degree. Following the work a lunch was served, and remarks made by members of the lodge.
Norway's vote for presidential electors Tuesday was:
Republican.....307
Democrat.....166
Prohibition.....14
Socialist.....2
Peoples.....2
The prayer meeting at the Baptist church was held Wednesday evening, instead of the regular time as pastor and people attended the missionary meeting in the Baptist church, South Paris, Tuesday evening.

Death of Cyrus M. Buck.
A man of much ability of mind and originality of character who was well known especially to the older residents of the town and a man much respected by them passed away Monday night. Mr. Buck was a native of Greenwood and would have attained the age of 80 on January 20 next.
His early life and schooling were in Greenwood. Shortly after attaining his majority he removed to Norway, passed a few years, then went to Portland and for a couple years was on a fishing vessel, making trips to the Grand Banks. He then went to Massachusetts and was a junk dealer, traveling through the towns of that state and adjoining places. He returned to Norway a little more than thirty years ago, bought a farm and carried it on some years.
Following the death of Mrs. Buck, whose name was Lydia Whittle, also of Greenwood, which occurred in 1880, he again went to Massachusetts in his former line of business, returning again nine years ago. He boarded the latter part of his life in the family of John Bumpus.
He joined Granite Lodge of Masons of West Paris in early life, and on his return to Norway became a member of Norway Grange. While in Greenwood he held the office of tax collector a couple years. His politics were originally Democratic. Upon the forming of the Republican party he allied himself with it and continued with it to his death.
A son and daughter aged 8 and 5 years respectively died from diphtheria, and there is one son living, Seaver Benton Buck, sub-master in a private preparatory school of considerable prominence at Tarrytown in the Hudson, New York.
Funeral services were held this Thursday forenoon at eleven o'clock, and burial at Greenwood.
The Guild of church workers held the annual meeting with Mrs. James Pledge, Nov. 8. The following officers were elected:
President—Ella Jewett Cole.
Vice Pres.—Emma J. Bickford.
Sec.—Della Gibbs.
Treas.—Mrs. Anna Pledge.
Next meeting Nov. 15, with Miss Bickford.
Mail carrier John Judkins shows us a sample Wisconsin ballot of Iowa county. It's a good sized poster and takes one side of 31x44 inch sheet and contains squares of blocks for 270 names with illustrations and lots of other chicken business. If the voter did much "cutting or watching" on the ballot, he wouldn't get through counting the vote out there until after the fourth of March next.
"Maud," the white family horse of Mrs. J. A. Harding, has been a familiar sight to Norway people for more years than is usually the privilege of a horse to live. When a child, Maud was given to Mr. Harding by her father and she has always been a fine driving horse. She had become lame and stiff from old age, though she still looked as fat and sleek as many a younger horse, and it seemed to hurt her to travel, so Mrs. Harding had her humanely sent to the good horses' paradise this week.
The boys went out skating, Thursday morning, on the river above the Bridge street bridge.
Norway High School football eleven defeated Rumford Falls High at Rumford Falls, last Saturday, by a score of 11 to 0.
There was an election night dance at Norway Opera House, Tuesday evening. The election returns were given out from the stage.
If you are intending to continue the Three-Times-a-Week World with your subscribers don't neglect to renew before it expires. By so doing you will save the loss of a copy of the paper. The World and this paper one year only \$2.20.
At the Congregational parsonage, Wednesday evening, James Horn Porter of Norway and Agnes Driscoll of Dover, N. H., were united in marriage by Rev. B. S. Riddout. They left town the evening for a two weeks' hunting trip in the Umbagog region.
Thursday afternoon the bakery team of John Hayes driven by Eugene Russell met with an accident near H. B. Foster's residence. The horse jumped at the sight of the boiler, which was being hauled to the electric light station, and broke the whiffle-tree the cart. For moment it was interesting for the driver but he soon got the horse under control without further damage.
Read the wants this week. A Bridgeton man wants a woman. Mr. Thomas of West Sumner has lost a dog. Fred Sanborn of Norway wants teaming done on the Eastern Telephone Co. he has found money. Just think of it. F. D. Thurston on Crockett Ridge has a yoke of cattle for sale, F. L. Keene of East Otisfield has a 1200 horse to sell and John Howe has a place to dispose of. Read the wants every week.
Thursday morning about half past eleven the team of Fred Weston of Bolster's Mills was at the freight yard back of the railroad station. The horses were feeding, attached to the heavy cart with no bridle on. Started in some unexpected manner, they ran out of the yard and up Cottage street. In front of Horace Mixer's house was standing a delivery team of Chas. F. Bidlon, the driver, Harry Kimball, being in the house. The runaway team collided with this team, smashing one wheel badly, another somewhat and breaking a shaft. The contents of the wagon were strewn about the street. The large team was stopped further out the street with little damage to them.
The Republican politicians and others interested met in the old studio on Deane street, Tuesday evening, and received the returns which it was possible to secure, which were taken by town clerk G. L. Curtis from a telephone furnished without charge by courtesy of the Eastern Telephone Company. There was but little of conclusive information received, the returns being fragmentary, but indicating that the Republicans had carried the doubtful states and that Massachusetts had elected the Democratic candidate for governor. The most decisive was a telegram from Don C. Seitz to Dr. Bradbury announcing that New York had given Roosevelt 200,000 plurality. The telephone service was excellent and won high praise.

On Wednesday afternoon took place the wedding of Louis I. Gilbert and Lulu Mabel Packard, at the home of Mrs. Jonathan Blake, where the bride's mother resides. The house was neatly decorated with evergreen and ferns, it being a very quiet wedding in the presence of about a dozen relatives and intimate friends. The ring service was conducted by Rev. B. S. Riddout of the Second Congregational church of which both Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert are members. The place of best man and bride's maid were filled by Harry A. Packard and Mattie Packard, brother and sister of the bride. Light refreshments were served and the happy couple left upon the east bound train for a trip of about a couple weeks. Congratulations and best wishes from a host of friends.
Stag Party.
Pinesseewassee Lodge, K. of P., held a "stag party" with supper and entertainment at their Castle Hall, Wednesday evening. Each member invited one gentleman as a guest.
There was a large attendance. A supper was served, followed by songs by James M. Dunn, readings by F. L. Starbird and remarks by Sir Knights M. L. Kimball and Jesse P. Edwards. Later in the evening an unexpected call was received from Judge Harry Mansur of Auburn, prominent in the counsels of the order, who spoke fittingly.
Mina Jewett went to Newry, Thursday last week on a hunting trip.
Freeland Howe, Jr., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Howe.
W. C. Cole has completed building an ice house for John A. Woodman at the cottage beside the lake.
Tramps that apply for lodging are numerous these cold nights. Some nights as many as seven occupy the lock-up. Most of them pretend to be looking for work. But when the fact is taken into consideration that it is almost impossible to get anyone to do work of nearly all kinds, the conclusion is they are only "just searching for it."
A. E. Stearns, esq., wife and two children of Rumford Falls are visiting at Geo. W. Devine's. They intend start for the West the last of this week.
Mr. Stearns left Norway for Rumford Falls eleven years ago, and has been one of the busy, enterprising men of that flourishing town. He leaves it now on account of his health, which he hopes to regain by a change of climate. Mr. Stearns has been very successful at Rumford Falls and is held in high esteem by the citizens of that town, as the banquet tendered him last week bears testimony.
NORWAY LAKE.
Mother's club will meet with Mrs. J. L. Partridge, Nov. 15th.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perry visited friends at Bolster's Mills, Sunday.
Mrs. Lydia Titcomb is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emma Flint.
Mr. Mills and Mr. Buck's children and Ethel Kilgore are sick with measles.
Mrs. R. W. Knight visited her sister, Mrs. O. M. Cummings at Norway, Tuesday.
George Frost has moved his family into the rent recently occupied by Warner Kneeland.
Mr. and Mrs. Thurston and little son Harold of Crockett Ridge were at Chester Flint's, Sunday.
Norway Lake Woman's club supper and gentlemen's night is postponed indefinitely on account of measles.
Mrs. W. S. Partridge and Mrs. F. E. Potts have been to the village this week to help care for Mrs. Dorcas Barrows and Miss L. M. Chamberlain, who have been very ill.
Norway Lake Woman's club will meet with Mrs. C. F. Boober, Nov. 16th. Every member is expected to have something to read about Thanksgiving day, either story, history or items of interest about it.
HARRISON.
Foot Badly Injured.
Austin E. Warren came home Thursday of last week from Baldwin, where he had been at work in the woods, and got his foot badly injured. His wife met him here and took him to his home in East stoneham.
Charles Wheeler has gone to Portland to work.
They were obliged to stop work in the corn shop a few days last week, as they were out of labels.
Business is lively at the station. 3300 barrels of apples were shipped from here last week and still they come. There has been forty tons of freight per day handled at the station for the past month.
Bert Davis has returned from Poland with two badly out fingers.
Will Weymouth and family of Sebago are visiting at Joseph Weymouth's.
Will Wetherell is building a new hen house across the road from his house.
Vote of Harrison for Presidential electors was as follows:
Republican.....140
Democrat.....80
Socialist.....1
Edward Whitney, an aged and lifelong resident of Harrison, is quite seriously ill.
The grammar and intermediate schools in this village closed last Friday, but the primary is still in session.
The rite of baptism was administered to one candidate by pastor Winn at the Congregational church on Sunday.
The Rebekahs will give a social dance at the town hall, Friday evening Nov. 11, the proceeds to be used toward the furnishing of their new hall.
Dr. C. B. Sylvestre is visiting the World's Fair at St. Louis. His little daughter Ruth accompanied him as far as Boston, where she is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Grace Pugsley.
There is talk that the Grange may hire the banquet hall in Old Fellows' building for their meetings, as they have outgrown their present quarters. This Grange now numbers a hundred. At their meeting last Saturday evening, the third and fourth degrees were given to three candidates. Worthy Master George Greenleaf was present, and as his son who is a freshman at Bowdoin College, is at home critically ill.

SOUTH PARIS.
West Oxford Agricultural Society.
The annual meeting of the West Oxford Agricultural Society was held in the society's hall at Fryeburg, Oct. 30th. Besides other routine business, the following officers were elected:
President—J. A. Farrington, Lovell.
Vice president—A. R. Hill, Brownfield.
Treasurer—W. R. Tabb, Fryeburg.
Secretary—B. Walker McKee, Fryeburg.
Auditor—Wm. Gordon, Fryeburg.
Trustees—J. Howard Woodward, Conway, N. H.; C. H. Walker, Fryeburg; Benj. F. Knight, Sweden; W. B. Deacy, Denmark; F. E. Fessenden, Brownfield; C. R. Bean, Hiram; J. S. Ames, Bridgton; N. T. Fox, Lovell; L. A. Walker, Stow.
Grange Anniversary.
Anniversary of Paris Grange, Nov. 12. All day meeting. Dinner at noon. All bring food. Program for afternoon as follows:
Music.....Ada King
Reading.....C. A. Briggs
Anniversaries.....Don Chapman
Address.....H. A. Clifford
Song.....Kate Hammond
Reminiscences.....S. E. Jackson
Address.....Harrison Farrar
Song.....A. D. Park
Reading.....S. E. Jackson
Song.....Choir
Oxford Pomona Grange.
Time, first Tuesday in December. Place, Paris Grange South Paris. Program:
Opening grange in fifth degree.
Routine business.
Election of officers.
Recess.
Afternoon.
Installation of officers, music and other exercises as time will permit to be furnished by Paris Grange.
Charles G. Andrews and wife are visiting in Lovell.
Wallace Clifford of Bates college was at home over Sunday.
Lettie Farrar and Bertha Merrill of Auburn spent Sunday here.
Harry A. Morton and wife have been spending a few days in Boston.
Mrs. Wirt Stanley spent Saturday and Sunday in Lewiston and Auburn.
Several candidates are in the field for the postmastership at South Paris.
Mrs. Wm. Barnes of Portland was the guest of Mrs. T. S. Barnes last week.
Alonso B. Shurtlett and wife observed the fifth anniversary of their marriage Saturday.
Mrs. Louise Briggs was called Friday to Dorchester, Mass., by her daughter-in-law's illness.
Rev. I. B. Mower, secretary of the State Baptist convention, will preach next Sunday morning at the Baptist church.
Prentiss T. Ripley and wife of Cambridge, Mass., have been visiting the family of Charles H. Thayer and other relatives for a few days.
Talent for the People's concert, Monday evening, the 21st include Mrs. Minnie L. Gove, reader of Auburn, Lillian Bearse soloist of Auburn and the Schubert quartet.
Rev. W. E. Brooks, D. D., recently pastor of the First Congregational church, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Congregational church at Warren, Conn.
On the return of J. H. Stuart from a hunting trip in Piscataquis county some two weeks ago he brought a big buck and the hide of a bear which had been estimated to weigh 300 to 350 pounds.
Stony Brook Lodge, No. 181, N. E. O. P., entertained Lakeside Lodge of Norway, Wednesday evening. Judge Warren Manser of Auburn, Grand Warden, made an official visit. A fine supper was served.
Jurors for the December term of the United States district court which sets in Portland, Dec. 6, are grand jurors; E. B. Hammon and Benton L. Swift; traverse jurors, Charles Edwards and Davis P. Curtis.
A. E. Morse reads Friday at the high school entertainment at Skowhegan and next week goes to Washington county where he will read in a series of entertainments given in the towns of the Machias valley, Nov. 16 to 23 inclusive.
The season's work on the sewer was closed last week, the upper end having been extended to about opposite the brick school house. A large catch basin for surface water built of brick and cement and trapped has been placed in the gutter a short distance above the Billings' mill and a similar one in front of the Hersey house. It is probable the several houses on the west side of the street will soon connect with it.
W. D. Clark has an Eastern telephone, call 125-2.
A large knot of local politicians received the election returns which were given by the telephone company at Shurtlett's drug store.
A meeting of the First Congregational parish is called at the vestry, Monday, Nov. 14, at 7.30, to see if the parish will concur with the church in calling Rev. D. B. Putnam to the pastorate.
Paris vote for Presidential electors Tuesday was:
Republican.....462
Democrat.....118
There has been forty tons of freight per day handled at the station for the past month.
Three spoiled ballots.
WATERFORD.
Perfectly Helpless.
Calvin Hamlin, one of our oldest citizens, had a shock recently and is now perfectly helpless.
Mrs. A. B. Wilkins is very sick with heart trouble.
Louis Higginson and family have gone away for the winter.
Rev. O. L. Skinner, a former pastor, is with his family at Mrs. A. B. Wilkins'.
The Knight sisters are having their house painted, Ned Stone and Will Greene are doing the work.
The measles are apparently about over. C. M. Billings' family had the most of any about here, five having been sick.
Regular meeting of Keoka Chapter, O. E. S., Friday evening, Nov. 13, the D. D. Grand Master will be present.
Henry Wentworth has bought a stand at North Bridgton, and is moving his family into it. We are very sorry to lose this family from our neighborhood and town.
Stated communication of Mt. Trem' lodge, F. and A. M., Tuesday evening, Nov. 22. Work in third degree and a visit from the D. D. G. Master, Dr. Noyes of Lovell is expected.
The ladies of the Order Eastern Star, will give a supper and entertainment at Masonic hall, Tuesday evening, Nov. 15, for the benefit of Keoka Chapter, O. E. S. The play "Sunbonnets" will give lots of fun for an hour and a half, and the supper at 6.50 will be "all right," come and try it.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, A. O. U. W., meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. Walter L. Gray, H. F. Geo. E. Tolson, Secretary.

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NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. C. S. Libby, N. G.; Chas. S. Akers, Sec'y.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Edwin H. Allen, C. P.; M. L. Kimball, Sec'y.

Mr. Hops R. K. R. Lodge, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Minnie C. Bangs, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

FRANKENBERG LODGE, No. 10, K. of C., meets in their hall, Wednesday evening, every Thursday evening. Victor L. Partridge, C. G.; M. L. Kimball, R. of C. & S.

LARK ASSOCIATION, No. 35, P. M., meets in Pythian Hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Emma Abbott, C. G.; Mrs. H. B. Young, R. of C. & S.

LAKESIDE LODGE, No. 17, N. E. O. P., meets G. A. R. hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Mabel F. Warren, waitress; Ada A. Libby, secretary.

HARRY RUST POST, No. 54, G. A. R., meets at G. A. R. hall, the first Tuesday evening in each month. C. Richardson, Commander; Fredland Young, adjutant; S. A. Bennett, C. M.

OXFORD CASTLE, No. 2, K. G. E., meets in Ryerson Hall, first and third Thursday evenings of each month. Geo. L. Curtis, N. C.; H. L. Plummer, M. of R.

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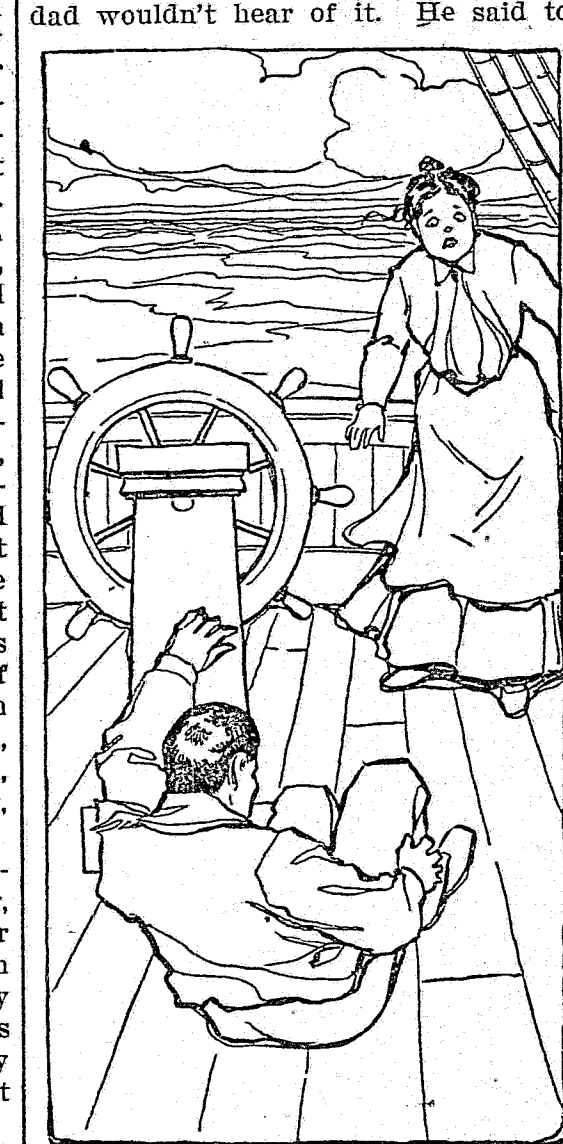
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young and goin' to be married. You see, her owner was a young man, too, and religious, and he read his Bible steady, and that Bible told him that it was not good for man to be alone, and he figured that it meant that he ought to have a woman 'long with him, so what does he do but put a new forlorn house in the first of his ships that come home and sink it down to the 'tween deck. That made two stories, with a windin' stairway. Down below was a dinin' room with a table and chairs, and a pantry, and a laundry room where the weemen could wash clothes and dishes. He knew somethin' about weemen folks or he wouldn't have thought of the laundry. Above was the fo'castle proper, joost two strings of two bunk rooms with a door and a window to each. Oh, that was a fine fo'castle. Then that man give out that only married sailors could sign in his ships and their wives must go to sea with them. I thought that was all right for me, too, and after I'd got the berth I wanted to splice my girl and take her 'long, but her old dad wouldn't hear of it. He said to



He let a horrible yell out of him.

wait until the floatin' asylum got back and if I was still alive and not crazy I could have her. So my girl stayed home.

"Now, I wasn't so far gone that I didn't have sense to ship two Yankee mates, buccos of the worst kind. Know what a Yankee bucco is? No? Sign out of New York this fall and you'll know. He's a cross between a prize fighter and a locomotive. I got them two mates aboard in the dock for the crew come. One was Black Dunkherst of Cape Cod. I shipped him chief mate. 'Tother was Mister Johnson of Boston. Mister was his first name, he said, and he never had any other. Both had bad records and reputations, and neither had a conscience, as far as I could see. But they were the men I needed in that ship, and I didn't care. They both said they had wives ashore and wanted to bring 'em 'long, but I knew better and wouldn't have it. Wasn't a specially moral man myself, but I didn't want to stand alone, the only bachelor in the ship.

"Moost had been 3,000 people on the quay to see us haul out into the stream. All Liverpool was talkin' about the honeymoon ship, and, while I tailed off the crew, sixteen couples, at the capstan, that loatic of an owner stood on the poop, proud as Billy-be-dash, bowin' and scapin' to the crowd ashore.

"Now, I said I wasn't a specially moral man, and I was, but I was too moral to countenance that crowd of brides at the capstan. Three or four old girls who looked like ex-barmoids might have been lawfully married to the men beside them, but the rest were cruizers from Waterloo road and the dance halls of Paradise street.

"I hadn't picked the crew. The crimps did that for the owner, and, on the whole, they'd given us a pretty good crowd of men. But the weemen—heavens! After all, I was glad my girl wasn't along.

"Well, we cast off and begun warpin' down through the docks with the big hydraulic capstans they have there, and as the two mates were competent I went below with the owner to settle up affairs, and the crowd ashore followed along the sea wall.

"Down below I knew by the sounds that we had got to a broken down capstan and would have to use our own amidsips. We were warpin' stern first, and I heard Mr. Johnson sing out to some one ashore to make fast the stern line and to the men forward to heave away the capstan lively. Then I heard the biggest hullabaloo I ever heard, a woman screamin' and 3,000 people ashore yellin' and that second mate of mine shoutin' as loud as he could. 'Heave away, my bullies, and clear this woman!' We run on deck.

"Now, this is what had happened: She was a Nova Scotia built ship, with a low poop and a cabin trunk with alleys. The poop rail was about as high as your middle, and there was a chock for the stern line on the traffrail and a pair of small timber heads, like oak lake schooners have, on the poop rail joost at the forrard corner of the house. You see, the stern line would not lead from the chock on the traffrail to the capstan amidsips without chafin' the house, so Mr. Johnson had thrown the bight over the timber head on the rail, and that would make the line lead, shanin' through the alley between the inward corner aft to the outboard corner forward.

"Now, there was a woman standin' in that alley swappin' bilin'gate with some one ashore, and as Mr. Johnson sung out to heave away he kicked the line close to her heels, and up it came, taut, to a level with the rail, and it

acted that woman's clothes with it and squeezed her tight. Then as the men hove it in it began to saw, and jaw, and saw, till it's a wonder that 'woman wasn't cut in two. Oh, how she yelled while that wet six inch hawser ground past her and dragged her 'tigh' ter into the angle, and all the time Mr. Dunkherst on the forecastle deck was lookin' every way but aft, pretendin' not to see, and Mr. Johnson was singin' out, 'Heave away and clear this Cheshire cat when I got on deck and made 'em surge the line. Then she got clear of it, still yellin', and run down the cabin stairs. She was a shockin' spectacle. That line had carried away all 'midship fastenin's, and everything come down by the run when the pressure was on. I sent some weemen down with her duds, and they fixed her up.

"That was the first trouble, but in two minutes Mr. Johnson had to lick the woman's man, who had been forrard with the mate and had joost got aft. Now, an English able seaman is handy with his fists, but a Yankee second mate is a bad proposition and mighty handy with a belayin' pin. So about the time the woman got rigged out her man was ready for the hospital, and I sent 'em both to their state-rooms to recuperate. Then I thought I'd better not reprimand Mr. Johnson. At the dock head I got rid of the owner. Then we took a tug and towed to sea and were well outside the three mile line before the watches were set for the night. Now, you know that under English law a ship captain is a magistrate on the high seas, with power to perform the marriage ceremony. I had never seen any one married, but I ranged 'em 'long the deck after the mates had picked the watches and had each man take hold of his woman's hand, so there'd be no mistake. Then I read 'em the ship's articles. Then I swore 'em on the Bible, then I read out the men's names, the whole sixteen, and said, 'Do you take this woman for your wife?' and they answered, 'Yes, sir,' one after the other. Then I said, 'Do you weemen (I don't know your names) take the man who has hold of your hand for your husband?' And they all answered, 'Yes, so I called 'em mar and wife and sent the watch below. I have since learned that the marriage was legal, but all I wanted at the time was to make 'em think so.

"I had a notion that with all hands married, and one man licked at the start things might go along smooth for awhile, but in the mornin' a woman—a good lookin' young woman, she was—come aft and wanted a divorce; said she wouldn't bide with a man that went to bed with a pipe in his mouth; said that, as Mr. Johnson could judge, the only difference 'tween a sailor and a hog was that one made up his bed with his nose and 't'her with his feet. I reasoned with her—told her that sailors made up their beds after they were turned in, and smoked themselves to sleep—but she wouldn't believe me.

"I sent for her man, a husky young fellow named Jim something, and Jim come grinnin'. He said a divorce would please him very much, as he was goin' through the world for the last time, and, though he expected torment, he wanted it after death. I jawed 'em both a little and sent 'em forward, but next watch Jim come on deck with his eyes nearly scratched out, and his wife's were closed tight and black as your hat, and she seemed proud of 'em, so proud that I hoped she'd stick to the man that give 'em; and so she might, for that's their nature, young man. But the rest got to takin' sides, and for awhile there was hades to pay and no pitch hot forrard. A big Liverpool Irishman got too sympathetic for the woman, and Jim slugged him. Then Mr. Johnson took a hand and licked 'em both, but Jim's wife and her woman friends did him up, and he come aft joost able to see.

"So I had to separate this couple. I called all hands for witnesses, put 'em through some mummery, swore 'em clear of one another and pronounced 'em two. Then I entered the job in the log, and as the woman was a grass widow now, with no husband to protect her, I gave her a stateroom aft, with the run of the forrard cabin and poop. Jim was much obliged to me and would go round the deck smilin', he was so happy, and he and the young woman would pass without speakin'. But after a few days I noticed her watchin' him more than I thought he deserved and concluded she was comin' round. Jim paid no attention, and that next time he took the wheel and sat down behind him on the gratin', and I moved round where I could see them and not be seen myself.

"'Fine day,' she said, but Jim didn't hear.

"'How fast be we goin' now, Jim?' she said next, and Jim looked aloft and said nothin'.

"'Jim?' she said again, and still Jim didn't hear.

"Then she got a pin out of her dress and reached softly toward Jim and jabbed him in the leg. He let a horrible yell out of him that woke the watch below, for they all turned out. He let go the wheel and, still yellin', rolled round the deck with his hand on the sore spot.

"I run aft—in fact, all hands were comin'—and the young woman, very white in the face and scared, run forrard 't'her side. I was mad clean through, and I lifted Jim on the toe of my boot and made him take the wheel and shut up. Then I caught the young woman and told her if she ever talked to the man at the wheel again I'd put her fore the mast. So she let Jim alone after that.

"But that was only one thing. There was a scarp or a half pallin' most every mealtime forrard, and I could only pretend not to hear it and wish that fool owner was 'long to regulate 'em. But I wouldn't have a rove on deck to break up the watch at duty, and I told my two bucco mates to stop the first signs of trouble, even though they had

to use force. Now, that was dangerous license to give such fellows, for they'd hit a woman as quick as a man.

"The steward was a mild mannered old codger, who stuttered badly, and as he was aft most of the time he didn't get well acquainted forrard. One evenin' at supper time a big, strappin' 'wo'-man met him near the main hatch and said, 'I say, cheeward, can you gimme some ile?'

"Now, she may have wanted coal oil for the lamp down forrard, but the steward didn't know but what she wanted some of the olive oil he had in his basket, so he said:

"'Wha-wha-wha-wha k-k-k-kind do you want?'

THE NORWAY ADVERTISER

Nov. 10—Our Folks, Concert Hall, Norway.
Nov. 12—John Thomas Concert Co., Norway.
Nov. 13—Grange sale, Concert Hall, Norway.
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Cadric Jenkins has been doing chores for Weston Sargent of Upton.

H. H. Caswell, Jordan Brothers, F. H. Ricker, W. A. Southworth and J. F. Allen of Harrison will close their stores every Monday, Tuesday and Friday evenings at 6 o'clock after Dec. 1st.

The vote of Tuesday for Presidential electors resulted in an overwhelming majority for President Theodore Roosevelt and Charles W. Fairbanks. Thirty-three states give the Republicans their electoral vote with a total of 349. Twelve states give Alton B. Parker and Henry G. Davis their vote with a total of 133. Roosevelt's popular majority will exceed 1,500,000.

BYRAN'S FOND.

Mrs. A. Sherran is having a driveway made around her house.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Moody regret that they are moving to West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Jackson will soon move to Milton in the house with Mr. Jackson's mother, Mrs. F. D. Lapham.

Clarence Jackson is having a long, serious illness, from which there is a decided change for the better. A trained nurse is in attendance.

Mrs. James Woodward and little son Philip of Lancaster, N. H., and Mrs. J. Crawford and Zilpha Porter of North Paris were the guests of Mrs. J. C. Thompson last week.

W. S. Davis and wife visited Mrs. E. J. Felt, Thursday.

The C. E. will be at Mrs. Dr. Clark's, Thursday evening.

C. W. Cummings of Auburn will preach here Sunday, Nov. 13. There will be a Bible day concert at 7.30. Mr. Cummings will hold meetings at Pinhook next Friday and Saturday evenings.

Vote of Woodstock:
Republican.....135
Democrat.....27
Prohibition.....1
Socialist.....1
People.....1

The remains of Mrs. Matilda Billings were brought here for burial Friday. She was the widow of Lorenzo Billings and for many years lived here, but has lived with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Bean at Bethel a number of years.

The primary school closed Friday, Oct. 23, with a short program in the afternoon. Scholars not absent Aubrey Cummings, Annie Crocker, Ino Parunum, Margie Jordan, George Noyes, Hiram Noyes. Those absent one half day only were Hazel Johnson, Duke Thompson, Herschell Wing, Harold Lurvey.

A hallwren cobweb party was given by Genevieve Whitman to her scholars in Whitman district. Miss Solie won first prize, Harry Jacob second, Miss Bryant the booby prize. G. A. Whitman, Etta Day, Mrs. Delia Hathaway and Mrs. M. M. Hathaway assisted the small ones by holding the lights to help them out of the tangles they frequently got into. The schoolroom was prettily decorated with evergreen, Japanese and jack lanterns. The stars and stripes were conspicuous on the platform. At 9.30 refreshments were served by the teacher to the entire party of coffee, cookies, candy and fruit. The party was given for the benefit of teacher and scholars, meeting together for a social good time, but to look in upon them one would say the invited guests enjoyed the evening equally as well as the scholars. The teacher, in her pleasant and congenial way, made them all feel that they were heartily welcome. This is Miss Whitman's fourth term here. We are hoping to be able to secure her for the winter term.

NORTH WATERFORD.

10th Wedding Anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown have invited their friends to celebrate the tenth anniversary of their wedding on Thursday evening, Nov. 10, at their home.

Who did you vote for?
Mrs. Ella Charles recently visited friends in Oxford.

Mrs. Moses Mosher has been quite ill for the past week.

Harry Buzzell of Lewiston was in town last Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzie Stone visited at John F. Rice's over Sunday.

Celia Millett is able to go out doors after her long illness.

Schools in both departments have closed for three weeks.

Mrs. Carrie Giles of Norway is visiting her niece, Ella Charles.

Rev. W. B. Hague, formerly of South Bridgton, preached last Sunday at the church.

We are glad to hear good news from Mrs. Rosa York who is at the Maine General Hospital.

Elton Yoak is cutting down the beautiful grove near his house. Many of the trees are very old.

Mrs. Maria Parker of Portland and Mrs. Laura Proctor of Norway visited at Henry Proctor's over Sunday.

The apple packers have been rushing business. Quite a large number of the United States 70,000,000 have gone from North Waterford.

George Farmer was thrown as he attempted to step into his wagon, by the horse suddenly starting. The wagon wheels went over him, but strange to say he was unhurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith have closed their summer cottage at North Lovell. Mrs. Goldsmith has gone to St. Louis, and Mr. Goldsmith is boarding at Alphonzo Charles'.

W. A. Manning has made great improvements on his buildings, building a new piazza, putting in new windows, newly painting inside and out. Percy Bryant and George Hobson are doing the work.

PLANT TREES AT NIGHT.

More Likely to Live Than if Transplanted in the Daytime.

It was long since observed that budding trees when transplanted in the evening and immediately and copiously watered were much more likely to thrive than those that had been moved in the day, says the Philadelphia Record. But this knowledge did not lead to any well defined theory on the subject until the experiments of M. Rene Rounault, a French expert, proved beyond a doubt that distinctly beneficial results could be gained by transplanting wholly at night.

Being called upon to transplant a large tract toward the end of May, 1903, M. Rounault determined to work at night, and in order to be sure that he made no mistake he transplanted a Holland linden, which had been in his own nursery for five years, at 10 o'clock at night. He carefully watered the tree, and the branches which bore buds were freely moistened. The linden did not appear to suffer from this transplanting and continued to grow normally without showing any signs of weakness. Encouraged by this success, M. Rounault performed the work of transplantation entirely in the night-time. The results were excellent, only two trees dying, though the choice of the species was extremely wide, containing many which do not readily submit to the process of transplantation.

With reference to the precautions to be observed, it should be stated that trees should not be transplanted while their buds are too tender and that the work should be done between 10 o'clock p. m. and 2 o'clock a. m. It is desirable that the roots should be covered with earth which has for several days been exposed to the effects of air and light. This should be settled by copious watering, which forces the earth between the roots, and not by pressure with the feet. For the first fifteen days after transplanting the boughs and leaves of the trees should be abundantly sprinkled.

TOWN IMPROVEMENT.

Children Should Be Taught to Beautify Their Homes.

The children should become early partakers in that civic pride which seeks to make their homes and neighborhood more beautiful and beautiful, says a writer in the Chicago Tribune. It is needless to say that if the available space in our dooryards were properly planted and cared for (and this could be done generally by the children themselves if encouraged by parents and teachers), and if the old fences and sheds were treated with vines, the appearance of a town would be transformed in a single season.

Besides, all efforts in this direction would be rewarded by a refinement in taste and a stimulation of the aesthetic nature that would enter at once into our lives as a permanent asset on the side of culture. The schools themselves and alone could almost accomplish the task of establishing home gardens if the teachers could but realize the immense importance of such an influence in the lives of their pupils. The school garden is worth something, but the home garden is worth much more.

The aim of the schools should be to encourage the pupils to garden at home, where their individual interests are most deeply rooted, and because it is his interest in the welfare of the home that will form the surest foundation for the young citizen's broader interest in the welfare of the municipality and the state.

KEEP THE TOWN CLEAN.

Florida Village Improvement Club Has an Active Brigade.

The ladies of a Florida town recently formed a village improvement association, with a brigade called the Star branch, composed of about forty boys and girls, whose motto is, "Cleanliness is next to godliness." The pledge, which they repeat at the opening of every meeting, is as follows:

"I promise not to litter the streets with papers, fruit skins or anything that will make the place untidy. Neither will I mutilate or deface fences, kill birds or rob their nests, and will also use my influence to prevent others from doing so."

They have a regular organization, officered from their own members. The weekly meetings are conducted under parliamentary rules and enlivened by singing, recitations, readings and calisthenic exercises. The benefit of such training to the children cannot be overestimated, and the work they do and save by keeping their pledge is no small factor in the problem, "How shall we keep our town clean and healthful?" At the weekly meetings each one of the children reports orally what he or she has picked up and deposited in the barrels.

A Wise Ordinance.

San Antonio, Tex., was one of the first towns in America to adopt and enforce an ordinance prohibiting expropriation on the sidewalks or floors of street cars or of public buildings. The ordinance was suggested by the local sanitary association, and after its adoption signs were liberally posted warning residents and visitors alike against violation of the ordinance and of the penalty provided. It is to the credit of the citizenship of this town that the merits of the ordinance were promptly recognized and appreciated, and its observance was immediate and general. At the same time receptacles for trash—waste paper and such—were placed at convenient intervals along the business streets, and at the same time ordinances providing for sweeping the streets were enforced, and there was an appearance of neatness and cleanliness that had not before been known.

Rev. F. E. Barton will preach at Andover next Sunday in the forenoon and at Rumford Point in the afternoon, Nov. 13.

Dorothy Goes Skating.

WHEN Dorothy goes out to skate, it is a busy time. Through snowdrifts deep her lovers wade and over fences climb. Will Billy lug a canvas chair; Jim drags along a sled. On which a basket full of lunch is held by patient Fred. For skating much, you know, will make The healthiest appetite awake.

Arrived upon the festive scene, she calmly takes the chair. Then George kneels at her little feet and works with loving care. To fasten on her shining skates. How very small they seem! Bob sweeps the ice and watches her, lost in a lover's dream.

While twenty other willing swains To help her somehow rack their brains.

At last a graceful start is made. Upon the sharpened steels Fair Dorothy glides off with ease, a crowd close at her heels. About the pond she circles once and then gives her commands, "Spread out the lunch and make the tea; I want to warm my hands!" But ere they finish, clumsy men, It's time to start back home again!

When Dorothy goes out to skate, the people who look on May think the sport is but a farce, with all the bustle and fuss. But none of those who go with her seem put out by the way. She wastes their time; in fact, it is a privilege, they say. (When they desire to skate, I know They don't ask Dorothy to go!) —Cincinnati Times-Star.

Nothing in It.



"I say, can you give me something for my head?"
"No. I wouldn't take it as a gift."

Cross Purposes.



She (thinking of the dogs)—Ugly little things, aren't they?
He (alluding to the children)—Oh, I wouldn't go so far as that! But perhaps if you dressed them differently.

He Didn't Think So.



"Don't you know, my lad, that it's very unhealthy to run so fast?"
"Huh! I'd be a darn sight more unhealthy fer me ter slow up. Ma's after me!"

Hard Task.



"Why can't I play soldier too?"
"Cause you ain't strong enough ter tackle dem Jap and Russian names!" —New York American.

WINDOW GARDENS.

An Inexpensive Way to Beautify Streets and Residences.
There is a little bit of Paris along West Walnut street, Philadelphia, that is really worth seeing—the window and balcony gardens, we mean, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. The City Parks association is to be commended for its thoughtfulness in agitating the idea and congratulating upon the success of it.

Window boxes are very old institutions, and yet in Philadelphia and other cities and towns it is only in comparatively few instances that they are found. The proposition to encourage them, when it came before the association, met with ready response. West Walnut street is a central locality, and

the fact that several house owners had long taken pride in making a bright exhibition outside their windows led the association managers to turn their attention first of all in that direction. Their appeals to the owners have been exceedingly satisfying.

The pretty boxes have multiplied, and surely it will not be long before most of the houses will bear these decorations, which not only add to the attractiveness of the residences themselves, but give pleasure to all who pass along the street. It would not be surprising if window and balcony boxes should become a fad, and when that comes about it may spread to numerous streets.

It is such an inexpensive way to aid in beautifying a city or town that it would seem as if most house owners would be glad to add their mite. Indeed, it is so inexpensive that as a matter of fact many of the small two story houses which the electric cars reach, but which the wealthy downtowners rarely if ever see, have developed very handsome displays, showing that under modest roofs there is a love for the beautiful that makes itself manifest in a way that, if generally adopted, would turn Philadelphia into a garden spot.

And why not make it such? An ivy on a hideous wall, a window box or two planted with flowers, a tree wherever possible—why, the whole appearance of a town would be changed.

BEAUTY IS CHEAP.

Town and Home Improvements Not Necessarily Expensive.

Too many of us fall into the mistake of thinking that beauty is necessarily expensive, says a writer in Lippincott's. It is not so. Beauty is cheap, in the sense that it is to be had for the taking. We need not go without beautiful trees and shrubs and vines because we lack money with which to buy them of the growers.

The nurseryman has not the monopoly of all that is desirable in this respect. Go into the fields and forests, and go with the seeing eye, and you will find ample material for the ornamentation of the home grounds, material quite as desirable as that which the dealer offers you at a good round price. So long as we can have native shrubs like the clematis and the elder and the spiraea, the wild rose, the dogwoods and the alders and many others that I need not mention here, and such vines as the clematis, we need not lack for material with which to make home beautiful. It is waiting for you on every hand.

Among our native trees we have some of the finest in the world, like the elm and the hard and soft maples. Where rapid development is desired we can add the box elder to the list. Where the grounds are very small we can make use of the cut leaved birch or some of the Japanese maples. All these are easy to grow and will take care of themselves when once established.

TO BEAUTIFY MILTON.

Trust Fund Given Massachusetts Town for Improvements.

To the aristocratic town of Milton, Mass., in which many wealthy people of Boston have summer homes, Mrs. Mary Cunningham, who died three months ago, left \$800,000, says the New York Herald.

The money she will provides, is to be held in trust for the benefit of the town, and the trustees are to use at their discretion the principal and interest of the fund for some charitable object which will improve and beautify the town. They may improve the libraries and schools, or promote the teaching in the schools of sewing or other industrial art, or promote the health of the townspeople by means of parks, playgrounds or hospitals.

The town has just dedicated a new library building which cost about \$75,000. It is a leader among the cities and towns of the state in schools and is well provided with playgrounds.

The Dust Problem.

James W. Abbott, United States government road expert, in commenting on the roads of Colorado Springs, called attention to a fact that applies to many other places where the luxury of broad streets has been secured—viz, that such streets give a dust area entirely too large and make the expense of laying the dust an enormous burden. He suggested the reduction of such streets to a width sufficient only for the actual purpose of traffic by parking them either in the middle or at the sides.

To Advertise Knoxville.

Fifty dollars in gold will be awarded the person who offers the most appropriate design, emblem or trademark for advertising Knoxville, Tenn. The offer is made by Thomas R. Price, president of the chamber of commerce. As an incentive a prominent local artist will display a drawing which may be suggestive of something which might win the prize.

Cleaning Lace.

Mme. Modjeska, who is the owner of some priceless lace, says lace may be cleaned by laying it out on a paper, covering it with calcined magnesia and then with another paper and putting all between the leaves of a large book for several days. When shaken out, it will be clean and fresh.

Women and Dress.

Ruskin says that the second duty of girls (and this applies to young women) is to dress as beautifully as possible on all occasions and "to consider every ill dressed woman or child as a personal disgrace."

A bag with an open mouth should be hung on the frame of the sewing machine at the side. All threads and scraps can then be dropped in while machine sewing is being done.

ANDOVER.

Not a Good Reception.
C. E. Cushman shot a deer which came into his yard a few weeks ago.

Mrs. L. F. Jones returned last week. Nathan Akers spent Sunday with his family last week.

H. D. Abbott at South Andover has been shingling his house.

There was a corn husking at Olney Burgess' last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Bedell are settled very cosy in their new home.

Mama Stevens left for Boston, Nov. 1st, where she will spend the winter.

Geo. Andrews is ill. A physician from Rumford Falls was called last week.

Willard Newhall has gone to Camp Bellevue for a short job of carpentering.

Joel Morton has finished his work at Frye and will resume work at Lawrence Tucker's.

Mrs. Margaret Stevens is much improved. Her daughter Mina will be with her this winter.

Ingalls Bragg is making improvements in his kitchen. Frank Keith has been doing the painting.

Mrs. Lincoln Dresser returned Nov. 3 from Portland, where she visited her brother, Dr. Merrill.

Ellis Glen Assembly think of giving a Thanksgiving ball, the proceeds to be given to the Hook and Ladder Co.

Mrs. M. E. Pratt has returned from her engagement at Rumford Center, Mr. Lovejoy and wife having returned.

Ned Baker of South Andover fell on the barbed wire fence while at play at school and cut his face in several places.

Ladies' circle of the Congregational society will be entertained at Union hall Wednesday evening, Nov. 9. Circle supper will be served.

Miss Hammons, the teacher of the high school, was ill Monday and Tuesday last week. The superintendent substituted for her.

Mrs. Philip Hoyt gave a dinner Nov. 1st, Geo. W. Burritt and Arabella Elliot as guests. Rev. Mr. Holden was invited but not able to attend.

Rev. Mr. Holden preached a very interesting sermon on Zaccheus, text found in 19th chapter of Luke. A large audience listened attentively. T. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. Mr. Holden as leader gave a short address.

Y. A. Thurston has his house nearly finished. The crew of men which have been at work there have gone home, Gardner Roberts and Arthur Howe, who are finishing the interior, will return next week to complete the job.

The ladies of the Universalist society met on Wednesday afternoon and made arrangements for the chicken pie supper to be given at the vestry of the church, Tuesday evening, Nov. 15th. All kinds of pie will be served. Those who have attended before can testify to the excellence of these suppers.

PORTERFIELD.

Around this place all of the excitement is making idler.

Gardner Norton is working for Philip Durgin of Brownfield.

School commences Monday, Nov. 14, John Chapman, teacher.

Chas. F. Norton has gone to Lovell to work for L. S. L. M. Charles.

John S. Rounds has bought a colt of Charles H. Sargent of Hiram.

George N. Norton killed a pig last Monday that weighed 307 pounds.

Fred S. Clemons, who has been at work for Nelsley Cole of Linington, is at home.

Everett Lord carries the scholars out of the other district. Chas. F. Lewis is getting word for the school this winter.

Mrs. Ida Dudley and three children and Mrs. Emma Merrifield and four children from Massachusetts are visiting their parents of this place, Henry Merrifield and wife.

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Brown and gray flannel shirts for linen collar.. \$2.00	New things in tams for the children.....50c
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Eliza Day went to Conway one day this week with his brother-in-law, Frank Libby.

Wm. J. Philbrick has moved to his new home. His aged father and mother are still alone at present.

George Tewksbury from Freedom, N. H., was a guest at his mother's, Saturday night and Sunday.

The meeting at the Weeks schoolhouse Sunday evening was well attended and a pleasant season enjoyed.

L. Libby and son have been busy making apples this week and will commence hatching to Cornish station, Monday.

George Gopp and wife of Cornish and Mrs. C. Stanley and wife and son visited at her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. T. Philbrick, Sunday.

Mr. Churchill of Parsonsfield passed through town with a nice lot of cattle, bringing them home from Eaton, N. H., where they have been pastured this season.

Jacob French and brother Aldo were seen Monday with a fine lot of steers, driving them home from pasture. Our neighbors make farmers gather in for cattle for winter is near.

Joseph Douglass has got his engine on the ground, was 2 1/2 days drawing it from Cornish station. Frank Brooks from Freedom, N. H., helped him with his team from the station to Kearsarge Falls to Edgar Bickford's. Mr. Brooks the rest of the way by the aid of Andrew Varney with his cattle down the hills. It was a hard job.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Blackett Small is now able to walk.

J. Bennett Pike has moved his family to Harrison Village.

Georgia Horr of Bridgton is the guest of Mrs. Fred Weston.

Lucetta Coute has visited her daughter, Mrs. Davis in Oxford.

Ruth Rock has been visited by her friend, Jennie Deering, from Bridgton.

There was a meeting of the directors of the Telephone Company last Saturday.

Rev. D. A. Tuttle preached last Sabbath from the text, "God is Love," and gave illustrations many touching in character of the power of love. Mr. Tuttle is held in great esteem by the people here, and is a man who will accomplish much good.

BROWNFIELD.

Everybody is making vinegar.

Mrs. F. E. Burrell will move into her new store this week.

The Spring Brothers have recently purchased three new horses.

Myrtle Harmon went to Fryeburg, Sunday, to work for Mrs. James Eastman.

Mrs. Dursilla Chapman remains very ill. No hopes of her recovery are entertained.

Members of the Universalist circle are rehearsing for a farce to be given in the near future.

Benjamin Rowe of Whitefield, N. H., is making his annual visit to his brother, W. C. Rowe.

Mrs. Sophia Gilpatrick has gone to Sanford for a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. James Valley.

Frank Work and family of Conway, N. H., spent Sunday with Mrs. Work's father, Henry Bartlett.

Mrs. Carrie Lowell of Cornish, who has been nursing Mrs. Leslie Poole, returned to her home Sunday.

Mrs. R. F. Fitch returned Sunday from a visit with the family of her brother-in-law, Fred Fitch of Sebago.

Helen M. Harris has returned to her school in Snowville after a week's vacation on account of a supposed case of diphtheria in that place.

Miss S. J. Staples, who has been seriously ill, is much improved at the present writing. Her niece, Lura G. Staples, has returned to her school in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFarlane, who have been boarding with the family of Mrs. Wentworth for a number of weeks, returned to their home in Dorchester, Mass., Monday.

Frank Johnson and family have moved into their new home on Main street which he recently purchased of F. R. Staples. He has built a new stable and made other improvements.

Robert B. Thomas' Old Farmer's Almanac for 1905 is at hand. It contains new, useful and entertaining matter. Published by William Ware & Co. of Boston and for sale by all booksellers.

BUCKFIELD.

Best as it is.

Tuesday was quiet and cold. Men went to the polls, voted and went home. Very different from earlier times when all turned out and made a day of it, measuring and doing all they could in the way of proselyting, but the Australian balloting has done away with all that for those who feared the bosses are no longer handicapped.

The first time I was called to vote in a booth I suppose I had buck fever. I trembled like a leaf. I was mad. To think that in free America the people must be protected in exercising the right of suffrage was too much for my nervous system. I spotted my first ballot but if I have spoiled any since I have spotted them all.

I have thought better of it since. Under our political system of reform it is doubtless best as it is.

A ten cent dinner at the Methodist vestry, Wednesday.

Chas. Hatch and wife of New York are visiting friends here.

O. E. Waite had an auction Saturday, and Walter Briggs on Tuesday.

Rev. D. W. Athearn has recently visited old parishioners at Lisbon Falls.

E. M. Atwood returned from a business trip to Boston, Tuesday, arriving in season to vote.

Georgia and Laura Dean have got settled in G. M. Irish's up stairs tent and Harry Holmes has moved into W. W. Tuttle's rent.

The Baptists have held a fair lately. Sales of fancy goods, vegetables, ice cream and refreshments, entertainments, etc., brought in rising forty dollars.

Pugilism, barbarism is reported in outlying districts. An Amazonian contest is reported where shillies were used by the weaker sex. Cold weather, low temperature and now an old man in Pennsylvania who has predicted the winters accurately for 65 years says the goose bone we are to have a colder winter than last.

WEST SUMMER.

Election Nov. 8, in the vestry.

Amy Young is at work for Mrs. Geo. Packard.

H. T. Heath is having new floors laid in his house and making other repairs.

Henry Davenport from Sumner comes through here once a week selling meat.

Frederick Farrar has had a well dug and is to bring water into his buildings.

Mrs. Clara Keane of North Buckfield is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hannah Bates.

George E. Pulsifer started for New York, Tuesday, on business for H. N. Chase.

Rollin Stetson has taken home a wife, which will make it much better for his aged mother.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Heath returned last Sunday from nearly a two weeks' stay at Lockfield.

Mrs. Marston from Albany was through our place, Monday, canvassing for steam cooking.

Norris, son of Charles Newell of South Paris, formerly of this place, is visiting at his uncle's, W. E. Lothrop's.

It is thought apples are not going to keep well from present appearances. We hear the price has advanced a little.

Emery A. Ryerson is at home from Lynn, Mass. His sister, Mrs. Carl Richmond from South Boston came Tuesday.

E. R. Barrett of Andover, formerly a neighbor here, was in town a few days, last week, on business, returning home, Sunday.

Earl and Ernest Harlow of South Paris called on friends here one day last week. Their parents lived here when they were small boys.

Harry Crockett was at home over Sunday. He has gone to Livermore Falls carpentering. He boards with his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Glover.

Mrs. Florence Heald of North Buckfield visited her sister, Mrs. Hannah Bates, a few days last week. Her health is much improved.

Elmer E. Tuel and family from West Paris have visited their parents, K. P. Bowker and wife, and sister, Mrs. H. T. Heath, and family.

Dr. Marston's father visited him last week, going home Saturday. The doctor left for Brunswick, Tuesday, for a week or two of rest.

Miss Macallister, the trained nurse, who has been here so many weeks caring for the sick, went to her home in Canton, Monday. She made many friends while here.

Mrs. Howard MacDonald, who has been so long sick, was taken to Mr. MacDonald's father's in Farmington, Nov. 3. We hear she stood the journey very nicely.

Mrs. Araline Abbott of Sumner stayed over Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. K. P. Bowker. She was with her way home from Paris where she had been caring for her sick sister, Mrs. Cora A. Dean.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Mrs. Mabel Farrington is in Rumford Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lang have been visiting in town.

School on Howe Hill does not close until next week.

The apple packers have been at C. K. Cross' this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stearns of Bethel are at their farm on Howe Hill with a crew of men pressing hay.

The Dauphins advertised an entertainment at Mr. Abram Hall, Tuesday evening, but failed to appear.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift are up from Leeds for a short time, the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Swift.

Will Swan and Will Corkum have been exchanging rents. Mr. Swan moving to the E. Farrington house and Mr. Corkum coming to the village.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

E. P. Kimball has shot four partridges this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Haggood are visiting in Massachusetts.

The next L. and S. meeting will be held at John Atherton's, Nov. 16.

Mrs. Wm. Jenkins is reported gaining slowly from the measles. E. P. Kimball's family is visited with the malady in rather a light form.

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RED RASPBERRIES.

Experiments With Manures and Fertilizers on Different Varieties.

The New Jersey experiment station has conducted a test of different fertilizers on three different varieties of red raspberries—the Cuthbert, Marlboro and Turner. The test plots were fertilized as follows:

Plot 1.—Manure.

Plot 2.—Complete fertilizer.

Plot 3.—Complete fertilizer, with the addition of bone and fertilizer in the fall.

Plot 4.—Complete fertilizer, with bone and potash and with nitrate of soda additional.

Conclusions arrived at are:

First.—Cuthbert is by far the best market berry of the three in the test. Marlboro is valuable for earliness. Turner is discarded.

Second.—Manure at \$1.50 per ton is the most expensive of the four methods of fertilizing practiced, while the total yields and the returns per dollar of cost are the lowest obtained.

Third.—The complete fertilizer used upon plot 2 has given the lowest annual cost, practically one-fourth that of manure used upon plot 1, and has given a return per dollar of cost for fertilizers over four times that obtained from the use of manure upon plot 1, and 54 per cent greater than that from mixture used upon plot 3.

Fourth.—In total yield, however, plot 2 is second to plot 3, though by less than 100 quarts per acre, and with net returns practically identical.

Fifth.—The fertilizers applied to plot 3—i. e., complete in the spring, and bone and potash in the fall—give the largest total yield and net returns, but cost annually 59 per cent more than that of the complete alone upon plot 2. Compared with manure, however, the returns per dollar of cost are practically three times as great from a cost for fertilizer only 40.5 per cent that of manure.

Sixth.—The addition of nitrate of soda at blossoming time has proved valueless, as far as increasing production, upon plot 4. The total yield, however, is greater than that from the manured plot, and the annual cost is but little over half that of the manure applied to plot 1.

POTATO EXPERIENCE.

The Most Useful Fertilizer Combination and How to Apply It.

By EDWARD B. VOORHEES, New Jersey Experiment Station.

In the growing of early potatoes it is essential that an abundant supply of nitrogen be at the disposal of the plant. The experience of growers has clearly demonstrated this fact, and until commercial fertilizers came into general use most growers used large quantities of yard manure in order that the plant should suffer no lack of this element. With the introduction of commercial fertilizers the question of greatest importance has been the source of nitrogen best suited to meet the demands of the special early growth. The experiments which have been conducted with a view to answering this question have shown clearly that, while nitrate is most useful, a combination of the nitrate with quick-acting organic forms, as dried blood, or with both organic and ammonia forms is preferable to the use of any single form.

On good potato soils, therefore, a good fertilization should consist of from 800 to 1,000 pounds of a fertilizer containing nitrogen 4 per cent, available phosphoric acid 8 per cent, and potash 10 per cent, one-third of the nitrogen at least to be derived from nitrate of soda and the remainder from nitrate of soda and organic forms. On soils in good condition the fertilizer may be applied in the row at the time of planting, though many prefer to apply one-half of the desired amount broadcast previously and the remainder in the row with the seed.

CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS.

News and Notes of Interest in Various Lines of Agriculture.

By R. L. WOODS.

Washington.—The new white potato from Uruguay, Solanum commersonii, which has attracted considerable attention as grown in France, is the subject of some information supplied to the state department by the United States consul at Rouen, who says:

"The leaves are small and slender, somewhat like those of the Irish potato, and the flowers are abundant, of a pale violet color and very odoriferous. After one planting the plant perpetuates itself from the broken roots left in the soil. The vegetable proper weighs from one to two and a half pounds and has a yellowish wrinkled skin, covered with lenticles, which disappear after culture. The pulp when cooked has a slight greenish color."

It further appears that as grown in France in 1901 all of a certain number of tubers taken from the crop by random and cooked with the skin on were very bitter, but under cultivation this characteristic has greatly diminished.

Feeling also takes away much of the acridness. In spite of the bitter taste animals are fond of them. "In the same soil," says Mr. Haynes, "the yield is greatly superior to that of the ordinary potato. The Early Rose in one instance gave 3,000 pounds to the acre, the American Marvel 3,000 pounds and the Solanum commersonii 8,500 pounds."

Not Turning to the Farm.

With the apparent great increase of interest in agricultural matters it is somewhat surprising to learn, from a special report to the census bureau, that in 1900 agriculture showed a diminishing proportion of workers, while the numbers in professions, manufactures, trade and transportation was on the increase. However, agriculture still makes a good showing, almost 40 per cent of all the men engaged in the total population was engaged in agriculture, with 24 per cent

in manufacturing and mechanics, 18 per cent in trade and transportation, almost 15 per cent in domestic and personal service and 3 1/2 per cent in professional service.

To Be Tried on a Bigger Scale.

The remarkable intensive farming of J. D. Detrich of Pennsylvania has become a familiar story during the past two years. Mr. Detrich brought up a run down farm of fifteen acres to the point where it supports more than two cows to the acre, nothing being bought except bran and cottonseed meal. Agricultural experts reason that the Detrich methods of intensive farming if applied by dairy farmers throughout the United States would be worth \$40,000,000 a year to the dairy interests.

The question having been raised whether what has been done on fifteen acres would result equally well on a larger scale, it is said that Mr. Detrich is to try to prove the proposition on a new farm of 300 acres which he has purchased in Chester county, Pa. On his fifteen acre farm every bit of space was devoted to crops, none to pasture. The animals were kept in the stable or barnyard the year round.

The next day a larger force was obtained and about 1 o'clock in the afternoon she was found, having traveled several miles through the forests over rocks and mountain sides. She was tracked a long distance by pieces of her dress skirt which had caught on bushes. When found her skirts were nearly gone but otherwise she was in fairly good condition and was brought to her home amid great rejoicing. She spent the night in an old hollow log. Fortunately the night was the warmest we have had for several days.

W. R. Tarbox and wife are in Boston. Charles Ela is very sick with typhoid fever.

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He was eventually left the greater number of them far behind. The last time the author heard of him he was chief magistrate of his native city. The tortoise in the right road will beat a racer in the wrong.

It matters not, though a youth be slow, if he be diligent. Quickness of parts may even prove a defect, inasmuch as the boy who learns readily will often forget quite as readily and also because he finds no need of cultivating that quality of application and perseverance which the slower youth is compelled to exercise and which proves so valuable an element in the formation of every character.

Davy said: "What I am I have made myself," and the same holds true universally. The highest culture is not obtained by rote when at school or college, so much as by our own diligent self-education when we have become men. Hence parents need not be in too great haste to see their children's talents forced into bloom.

FRYEBURG.

Woman Lost in the Woods.

There was a great excitement at South Chatham and North Fryeburg last week caused by a woman being lost in the woods. Ann M. Dresser, who is a sister of T. F. Dresser and who lives with him, went out Thursday morning to pick a basket of broom in some thick woods a short distance from the house. Not returning as soon as they expected a search was commenced and before night a large force of men were scouring the woods. The search continued well along into the night without success.

The next day a larger force was obtained and about 1 o'clock in the afternoon she was found, having traveled several miles through the forests over rocks and mountain sides. She was tracked a long distance by pieces of her dress skirt which had caught on bushes. When found her skirts were nearly gone but otherwise she was in fairly good condition and was brought to her home amid great rejoicing. She spent the night in an old hollow log. Fortunately the night was the warmest we have had for several days.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Frightened by the Engine.—Thursday afternoon a little after four Rust Jackson was coming toward the village with a two horse team. When on the bridge across the stream at Bridge street he turned out for another team. Just at that time the horses became frightened at the engine of C. B. Cummings & Sons at the mill and started to run. The cart struck the plank side walls on the easterly side of the bridge throwing Mr. Jackson from his seat. He struck upon the ground close to the forward wheels of the cart, his left arm under him, and when he rose, found his wrist was broken which proved to be a compound fracture and will take quite a while to heal. The horses were but a few feet when they were stopped.

Honored by His Associates.—The lawyers and other leading citizens of Rumford Falls tendered a banquet and reception to Arvid E. Stearns, Wednesday evening, Nov. 2d. Mr. Stearns is soon to make his permanent residence in the West.

Mr. Stearns went to Rumford Falls early in the history of the birth of the village and has been identified with the leading movements for the growth and betterment of the place since. He has been prominent in social and in business affairs, he having made himself a place among the foremost lawyers in Oxford county, which is his native county, he being a native of Lovell. He studied law in Norway. He has held responsible positions on various committees identified with the progress of the town in various ways, and at this time is secretary of the board of trustees of the public library.

At the banquet the tables were attractively set forth in the big dining-room at Hotel Rumford, the private dining-room not being commodious enough. Plates were laid for between ninety and one hundred. The menu was most attractively arranged and the after-dinner speeches with coffee and repast made the evening most enjoyable.

Hon. G. D. Biebee was the toastmaster and the toasts while informal were apt and were responded to with zest and wit. The guests sat down at just 9 o'clock and were at the tables until 12 o'clock. The dining-room was most daintily trimmed in pink and green, the outer part being dressed in evergreen. At each place was a daybreak pink and the decorations corresponded in coloring to the handsome tapestry paper on the walls. Twelve neat table girls, dressed in white gowns, served the tables under the direction of the head waiter.

Dr. Will Moore Arrested and Released.—Dr. Will Moore, a native of Lovell and who lived in this town some 20 years ago, was recently arrested in Cripple Creek, Colo., for announcing himself as opposed to the Gov. Peabody administration of that State and declaring that he should vote the Democratic ticket. The charge against the doctor was the suspicion of his circulating fac-similes of the flag design gotten out by the Western Federation of Miners. This failed and charge was changed to drunkenness and that failed too and he was acquitted.

Dr. Moore, when a citizen of this town, was a sober, law abiding, peaceful citizen with some enterprise and hustle. His wife will be remembered as keeping a millinery store and we think she started the millinery business now conducted by Mrs. A. G. Allen near the post-office. Mrs. Moore was compelled to go to Colorado for her health and died there. Dr. Moore has married again and has lived there and in California nearly 20 years and this is the first time we have ever known of his getting into trouble, but Cripple Creek is present is altogether different from Norway.

The doctor says:—"We have only mob law and everything is running riot, and all kinds of business at a stand still. This comes from the Republican ruling. You will see by the enclosed clipping how terrible things are here. I was arrested for declaring to be a Democrat and I am Yankee enough to stay by it. No man of good sense and understanding the situation will vote the Republican ticket this fall. This city has been under martial law for a long time. People are shot down by the soldiers and women are insulted, and our anarchist governor sits back and laughs at it. We have a nice climate here with only a mob law to protect us for the past two years."

Dr. Moore should have taken our advice and settled down in Maine, where he was here a few years ago. We are under a Republican State government to be sure but they administer the laws pretty fairly well.

Thomas Bradbury and a crew of men are cutting Christmas trees in Dryden. Mrs. George Austin fell down stairs, recently, and out her arm severely by falling on a stone jar that she was carrying and which was broken in the fall.

Alphonso Allen has again taken the Cummings boarding house, that has recently been conducted by Mrs. W. E. Barker. Mr. Allen has run this house for a number of years.

Norway Grange is publishing a cook book. We predict for it a big sale, for in it will be found many of the recipes for the cooking that have made the dinners of the Grange so famous.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Prescott of Wilton have got located at the Ginn House, now called the Norway Boarding House. They intend to run a good boarding house. They have renovated the house and got in good shape.

The rural free delivery No. 1, Sumner, closes at 11.15 a. m., arrives at 8.30 p. m.

Written On the Battlefield.

This Letter Was Written by Capt. G. C. Pratt of South Paris.

Camp in Rifle Pit, Ya., May 16, 1864. I will give you a brief history of our march and the battle since we left camp near Brandy Station. We started the night of May 3d and marched all night. At 2 p. m. of May 4th we reached the old battle ground of Chancellorsville and remained all night. The morning of the 5th we marched to Todd's Tavern; got there at 12 m.; got dinner at 1 p. m. We marched to the plank road at a point called the wilderness. Here we engaged the enemy for four hours. Our loss was heavy; our Brigadier general was killed. Out of my company four were killed and nine wounded. My Orderly Sergeant was killed and fell into my arms. Charles was wounded in solidly wounded in the hand. The loss in the regiment that afternoon was 160 killed and wounded.

At 9 p. m. we were relieved and went to the rear for ammunition. The morning of the 6th our regiment made a charge. Our colonel was wounded and had his horse shot dead. We lost a number killed and wounded. In the afternoon the enemy made a charge on our works, and we had a hard fight, but lost but few men. The rebel dead lay in heaps. It was an awful sight. They came close to our fortifications in solid columns, but many of them paid dearly for their courage.

On the 7th our regiment made another charge at ten o'clock, drove the enemy about a mile; lost but few. There was but little fighting the rest of the day.

On the morning of the 8th the rebels left this point for Todd's Tavern with our army in pursuit. We got there at noon and engaged them that afternoon. That night they left the place and marched towards Spotsylvania court house. We followed them closely; had a skirmish with them on the night of the 9th; took pieces of artillery and some of their train. On the 10th we had a hard battle; lost a number killed and wounded. Here I took command of two companies. They put another company into mine as we had not officers left to command the whole.

On the 11th there was but little fighting. On the night of the 11th we met the rebels about five miles and at daylight of the 12th our division made a charge on the rebel fortification, drove the enemy, took 6000 prisoners and 18 guns with a number of stands of colors. Our regiment took the rebel General Johnson. Our regiment did not have but one or two killed and but few wounded. The 2d lieutenant in my company was wounded in the head.

In the afternoon the rebels made an attempt to take the works back and we had a tough fight but they could not gain a foot. Their loss was very heavy, their dead and wounded covered the ground. We were under arms all night and it rained hard. They made several attempts during the night but they found us ready for them.

On the 13th we buried the dead and carried off the wounded, but little fighting through the day. On the 14th but little fighting. The enemy changed their position and of course we changed ours.

On the 15th our division supported the skirmish line, but little fighting. We had a little chance to rest for the first time for ten days. I have not had my equipments off since the 3d of this month. I am somewhat worn out with fatigue but I feel all right for two weeks more fighting. We have given it to the rebels this time and although the men have had a hard time they are in good spirits.

To-day, the 16th, we lay in the rifle pits that we took from the rebels and are watching their movements. The sharpshooters are firing occasionally so we are resting.

I am seated on the ground writing but not a very convenient chance. I wish I could get home to dinner for I feel that change would go good just now, but we get enough to eat and I do not complain.

A Card.

We, the undersigned do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

FRANK KIMBALL, Norway.
45-18 J. H. BROOKS, South Paris.

Marriage Reception.

A marriage reception was held in Naples on Saturday evening, Oct. 22. A large number of the friends and relatives of the bride and groom Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Carpenter, gathered at residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner B. Wiley, where a fine treat was served and a good time enjoyed by all present. A fine display of presents was exhibited with the names of the givers of which the following is a list:

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner B. Wiley—books, toilet set, plates, towels.
Mr. and Mrs. Bennett S. Wiley—money.
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Haley—silver meat fork.
Alfred M. Farrington—silver butter knife and sugar spoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Randall—silver meat fork.
Willard Libby—silver table spoons.
Mr. and Mrs. John W. Iredale—tablecloth, napkins, berry spoon.
Perley Batchelder—doz. berry dishes.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Traton—pickle jar.
Miss Carrie Chaplin—silver salt cellar, creamer.
Miss Bertha R. Welch—crocheted mat, candy dish.
Miss Ina M. Welch—crocheted mats, fruit dish.
Harry Dingley—dozen bone dishes.
Roswell Edison—large lamp.
John Kins—grave dish.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Wiley—bedspread.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chaplin—money.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaplin—glass set.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Batchelder—towels.
Miss Rubira E. Wiley—sofa pillow, picture.
Miss Mary L. Wiley—two sofa pillows, tray cloth.
Mr. and Mrs. John Proctor—bed spread.
Mrs. George Tracy—towels.
Ablion Nutting—towels.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clark—mustard dish.
George M. Clark—vase.
Llewellyn Batchelder—cake plate, souvenir pitcher.
Charles Spurr—pictures and family record.
Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Emerson—berry bowl and berry dishes, picture.
Miss Maggie Rogers—berry bowl.
Miss Gladys M. Rogers—berry dishes.
Gardie E. Wiley—cake stand, picture.
Miss Lilla M. Chute—souvenir pin tray.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tarbox—pitcher.
Miss Hazel Tarbox—souvenir mug.
Miss Bernice M. Haley—souvenir pin tray.
Llewellyn H. Welch—tea pot.

Mrs. Miranda Bridgton of South Waterford has gone to Brington to pass the winter with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Gibbs. Her niece, Mrs. Clara Noble, has gone to spend the winter in Winchester, Mass., and their home, the Calvin Houghton house, in South Waterford, is closed for the first time in more than fifty years. The recent death of its venerable owner and occupant, the very aged and greatly beloved Mrs. Maria Houghton, effects a sad change in the old homestead.

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To be a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband should be a woman's constant study. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Potts tell their stories for the benefit of all wives and mothers.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will make every mother well, strong, healthy and happy. I dragged through nine years of miserable existence, worn out with pain and weariness. I then noticed a statement of a woman troubled as I was, and the wonderful results she had had from your Vegetable Compound, and decided to try what it would do for me, and used it for three months. At the end of that time I was a different woman, the neighbors remarked it, and my husband fell in love with me all over again. It seemed like a new existence. I had been suffering with inflammation and falling of the womb, but your medicine cured that and built up my entire system, till I was indeed like a new woman. Sincerely yours, Mrs. CHAS. E. BROWN, 21 Cedar Terrace, Hot Springs, Ark., Vice President Mothers' Club."

Suffering women should not fail to profit by Mrs. Brown's experience; just as surely as she was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure other women who suffer from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability, and nervous prostration. Read the story of Mrs. Potts to all mothers:—



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PORTER.

Henry Merryfield has been very sick. Joemay Durgin has gone to Lovell to work.

Geo. Libby has sold his apples to Ed Gupitell.

Gardiner Norton is working for Philip Durgin.

Mrs. L. E. Morton has a new washing machine.

Moses Chapman has purchased Geo. Stacy's farm.

George Walker is helping Frank Mason this fall.

George Norton is working for Ed Poor cutting pine timber.

Geo. Norton has killed his hog. It weighed 307 pounds.

Elder Davis holds meetings at Moses Cross' every Sunday evening.

Darling Huntress is making great improvements on his hen house.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Goodwin have moved to his father's farm in Hiram.

Mrs. Chas. Fox is going very sick and Florence Fox is doing the housework.

Moses and Calvin Robbins are doing quite a business at making cider this fall.

Winslow Kennard and family expect to move to Rumford soon. He is selling his stock.

Wallace Durgin was at home Saturday night and Sunday but returned to Crawford, N. H., Monday.

Mrs. Aldo French and little son Charlie, Mrs. Sheridan Fox and son Harry went to Boston on the recent excursion.

Nora Norton closed her school at the Center, Friday, Oct. 28. She has been spending her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. D. Huntress.

School in the Lord district closed the 28th. Two of the small scholars, Eddie Walker and Cora Rogers, did not miss a day and were not tardy for the term of eight weeks.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Hapgood & Willard will finish making barrels this week.

Mrs. E. P. Kimball is improving slowly from the measles.

Freeman Hapgood and wife are visiting friends in Boston.

Will Green will commence working for Joe Haskell this week.

Bessie Adams commenced work for Mrs. E. N. Atherton last week.

E. F. Randall and wife visited her daughter, Mrs. Horace Allen, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams and daughter from Lowell, Mass., have been visiting Mrs. Calvin Adams.

400 Pound Bear.

Shot by Geo. Whittemore of Mexico with 38-40 Rifle.

George Whittemore of Mexico killed a large bear between the Marston place and York Hill. Whittemore is seventeen years of age, and was hunting deer with a 38-40 rifle. He came upon the bear unexpectedly. The bear was eating acorns under a clump of oaks and did not discover the hunter, who deliberated as to the chances of his killing or getting killed. Waiting until the bear's head was toward him he placed a bullet in just below one eye. The bear then stood on its hind legs upright, and gave a terrible howl, standing a short time, when he received another bullet on the opposite side of the head from the first wound, which killed him. The bear was a large one, its skin alone weighing thirty-two pounds. Many persons saw the bear and estimate its weight at 400 pounds.

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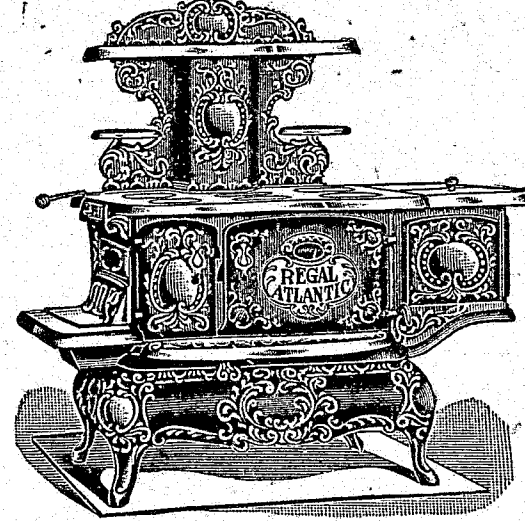
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Women Are Not Inferior To Men

By CHARLES BRODIE PATTERSON, Editor of Mind

WE talk about the inferiority of the woman as compared with man; that she is not capable of thinking and reasoning and reaching logical conclusions. If she is not, then SHE IS JUST WHAT THE SYSTEMS OF THE PAST HAVE MADE HER. If her intellect was curbed so that she could not use it, how can we expect strength of mind? It is only through the use of the mind that it becomes strong, and the more women learn to use their minds the greater their mental strength will be. Parents should, therefore, see to it that every girl has abundant opportunity to develop her own latent power, to give it practical expression, so that she can feel that she is a real necessity in the world; that SHE IS NO MORE DEPENDENT ON OTHERS THAN OTHERS ARE DEPENDENT ON HER. She must bring to life the spirit of independence and self reliance wherein she is not afraid to think and to act for herself. There will be fewer false marriages, fewer broken hearts, fewer ruined lives when the same self reliance enters into the woman's life that is now to be found in the life of man. She will follow the dictates of her heart RATHER THAN THE DICTATES OF CONVENIENCE, as too often occurs when entering into the marriage state.

Some may think it will take away from the chivalry of life. Better that it should do so than that men should LOSE RESPECT for women. In the most flowery days of chivalry there was not the same degree of respect for women as there is at the present time, when she is showing herself to be THE EQUAL OF MAN in many avenues of life.

IDLE SENTIMENT THAT BRINGS NO GOOD WITH IT IS OF LITTLE USE TO ANY ONE.

The Evil Influence of Irresponsible Wealth

By Bishop HENRY Y. SATTERLEE, Protestant Episcopalian

IRRESPONSIBLE WEALTH, with its false ideals, its dilettanteism, its glorification of pleasure and beauty, its luxurious style of living, its tendency to make amusement and social engagements the chief business of life, IS ALWAYS, AS PAST EXPERIENCE SHOWS, AN INFLUENCE WHICH BRINGS ABOUT MORAL DEGENERATION, for such social conditions sap the foundations of real Christian manhood and womanhood and honeycomb the robustness of character.

In the great cities of Europe there have been from time immemorial "a smart set," "a fast set," "a rough set," and the like, and because they are recognized by all about them their influence is limited to a small sphere.

Here in America it is different. WITH THE SUDDEN INCREASE OF WEALTH AND EXTRAVAGANCE classes like these have sprung up as mushrooms all over the land, and their style of living, just because it is sensational and new, is not only attracting abnormal attention, but is exercising an abnormal influence, especially over the younger people of America.

SOONER OR LATER THE REAL CHARACTER OF EACH OF THESE WILL BE RECOGNIZED AS PLAINLY HERE AS IN EUROPE, AND ITS POWER FOR EVIL IN EVERY CITY WILL BE CHECKED BY THE LARGER LIFE, THE MORE ABSORBING ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMUNITY AND THE MORAL INFLUENCE OF THOSE WHO CREATE PUBLIC SENTIMENT.

THE GRANGE

Conducted by J. W. DARROW, Chatham, N. Y.
Press Correspondent, New York State Grange

THE EDUCATION NEEDED.

The Grange Seeks to Add Dignity to Labor.

We speak of education today, says Hon. F. A. Dethick, master of the Ohio state grange, with a somewhat different meaning from that in the recent past. This is a day of specialization and concentration. It is being realized more and more that one needs a broad elementary basis, crowned with special preparation, for one's life work. The farmer as an individual has not sufficiently appreciated this comparatively new thought. The present stampede away from the farm no doubt results from two causes—first, the farmer has allowed unnecessarily severe conditions to prevail, and second, he has spent too much of the drudgery of agriculture and too little of the science of agriculture. The grange was born from these two ideas and at its birth declared in favor of lifting from agriculture every unjust burden and enjoined the farmer to "add dignity to labor" and to make the farm home more attractive.

To add dignity to labor upon the farm is to lift agriculture from the plane of farm drudgery and place it among the sciences. To do this is, in a large measure, the mission of the grange, and this thought and effort have been devolving and growing stronger for twenty-five years.

The education of yesterday is more than the education of tomorrow. Agricultural colleges are multiplying. It is less than the education of the country is an expression of grange thought, and our Order stands in the relation of a parent to them and from the first has given them its strong and unfailing support.

GRANGERS AT LAUREL PARK

Connecticut Patrons Have a Field Day.

Laurel Park is the Chautauqua of Connecticut. On July 18 members of the order and many more gathered in the auditorium to observe Grange day. Representative George S. Ladd of Sturbridge, master of the Massachusetts bridge grange, presided and introduced the speakers, Governor N. J. Bachelder of New Hampshire, secretary of the state board of agriculture of that state and national lecturer of the grange, and J. Lewis Hillsworth of Worcester,

secretary of the Massachusetts state board of agriculture.

Governor Bachelder discussed the various benefits accruing to the farmer through the efforts of the grange, particularly the organization of the free rural mail delivery system, the enactment of the anti-oleo legislation, and so on. He also took up the subject of good roads and said:

The question which is now being favored by the grange organization is the securing of national aid in building highways. Through the influence of the grange a great sentiment has been aroused for national aid in road construction. The national government has expended millions of dollars for our rivers and harbors, and this movement is along the same lines. An effort is being made to secure the appropriation by congress of \$24,000,000 for this purpose, but it depends somewhat upon the appropriation that can be secured from the state. But if possible \$24,000,000 will be secured from the state, making \$48,000,000 in all for this purpose, to be expended in a period of three years. This will be the most comprehensive building of roads in the world, and the credit for securing it should be given to the grange.

Division of Labor.

The committee on division of labor at the last New York state grange uniquely reported thus: "We approve distinctly of division of labor in the farmhouse. Let the farmer bring in at least one-half of the wood and half of the year and care for the babies and let the mother go to church or grange half the time, and, above all, let her have the privilege of discharging half the money she does more than half the labor to accumulate."

Ceres in Butter.

In the Missouri exhibit in the international butter exhibit in the Palace of Agriculture, world's fair, is a high relief model and picture worked in butter. The model is "Ceres, the Goddess of Agriculture." It stands eight feet high. The goddess is sitting on a bank holding a sickle in her right hand. On her left is a cow, and her left hand is resting on its back. Near by is a sheaf of wheat, and at her feet are wild flowers.

We Can, but Will We?

Newark (N. Y.) grange at one of its meetings discussed the question, "Can we combat the potato blight?" One man answered the question, "Yes, we can, but will we?" That's the point in regard to doing many things on the farm and in the grange. We can, but will we?

The Honeymoon Ship.

Continued from page 2.

"But that voyage couldn't have made you sour so on womankind, sir." "Partly," he answered slowly. "Yes, it was that voyage." "But your girl—didn't she show up different from that crowd?" "My girl," he answered, looking away into the night. "My girl had eloped with another man before I got into Cardiff." "I said no more, for I could think of nothing to say, but I knew now what had blighted him. He began pacing the bridge and so continued until midnight, while I, deeply sorry for him and glad that I knew a brown eyed, dimpled girl so different from those he had met, spent the time thinking of her and wondering what she was doing that evening. I have since learned—she was getting married."

Got Sympathy at a Pinch.

He was a lawyer, and he well knew how to play upon the feelings of his fellow men. Upon an occasion like the present, when he was pleading the cause of a plaintiff, who was a pretty little girl of nine, he shone to advantage.

"Gentlemen," he said, "can you stand by and see this poor child cheated out of what is, I argue, lawfully and legally her own? See"—he lifted her in his arms—"how pretty and helpless the poor mite is! Hush, hush, little one! Do not cry" for the juvenile litigant was sobbing fit to break her heart. "The good gentlemen in the big box over there will see that justice is done to you!"

He put the youngster down, and his quick eye told him that the stroke had done good work among the jury. In quick eye of one or two were moist. Then the defending counsel arose. "Little girl," he said, addressing the plaintiff, "why did you cry just now?" "P-please, sir," said the still sobbing child, "I—I had to! He p-pinch-ed me so hard it hurts now!"

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PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and four. The following matter having been presented for the action thereon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the NORWAY ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1904, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

ABIE D. HOWE, late of Norway deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Emma N. Mann as administratrix with the will annexed, presented by Emma N. Mann, daughter and heir.

OTIS WARREN, late of Fryeburg, deceased; petition for order to distribute balance remaining in his hands presented by William B. Reen, administrator.

HARRY L. WARREN late of Denmark, deceased; petition for an allowance out of personal estate presented by Carrie M. Warren, widow.

OLIVER BROAD late of Brownfield, deceased; final account presented for allowance by John R. Hill, administrator.

LUCRETIA A. EASTMAN late of Fryeburg, deceased; petition that Charles C. Warren be appointed administrator. D. B. N. C. T. A. presented by Ann E. Eastman, legatee.

ADOLPH E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court. A true copy—attest: 44-6 ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of

ELIZABETH PORTER, late of Waterford, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. 44-6 HORACE PORTER, ALFRED S. KIMBALL, Agent.

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Mrs. Winfield Estes and two children were at Mrs. Sadie Lowe's last week.
Mrs. Isaac Turner and Harold went to Auburn Wednesday and returned Friday.
Mel Thomas and a gentleman from Massachusetts were this way Friday enquiring for two dogs which had strayed.
Tommy Doble of Hartford, Conn., is sawing wood for Mrs. Sadie Lowe. Her brother, Arthur Smith, from New Hampshire, and friend, Dan Paine, of Oxford, were at Mrs. Lowe's over Sunday.

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Current events..... Mrs. M. A. Chandler
The Three Georges..... Charlotte Hobbs
Dr. Johnson..... Mrs. Mary Fox
Oliver Goldsmith..... Mrs. Jane Emery
St. Joshua Reynolds..... Mrs. Annie Walker
Questions..... Mrs. L. L. Lunt
Reading: A Picture with a Mystery, Mrs. L. L. Lunt.
Mrs. Olive Barker will entertain the club at the next meeting at Odd Fellows hall, Wednesday, Nov. 16. Subject, Review. On the evening of the 16th the ladies of the club will give a baked bean supper at Odd Fellows hall, No. 4.

H. H. Wiley is in Boston this week.
Mrs. C. K. Chapman is in Boston on a visit.

Clayton Littlefield caught two coons last week.
A. R. Davis and wife were in Jackson, N. H., the past week.

George Marston and wife were at North Waterford, Saturday.

John Emery and D. H. Wiley have had a crew of men at work laying the pipe from the well on the Fryeburg road to their buildings.

E. S. Farrington is at work on his buildings. He has raised his shed and barn three feet and when he gets them finished will have a nice set of buildings.

Nelson T. Fox has bought 200 cords of birch in Stow and will haul it to the mill in this village. It will come across Lake Kezar and through the white pine lot making nearly a level road.

DENMARK.

Will Dacey and Ernest Ingalls went to Brighton with a car load of cattle, Monday.

Apple packing is the order of the day and the cold weather hurries both sellers and buyers.

Hunters are plenty but game, especially deer, seem to keep safe without much trouble.

Elmer Berry and family start soon for South Carolina. He has sold his stock and is to sell his farm, the old Bean place.

Perley Bradbury and Bertram Jordan are building logging camps on the Holt lot, as they have taken the job to clear the lot of all the timber.

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OXFORD.

A Surprise.

The teachers and scholars numbering 18 gave Harry Davis of Highland farm a surprise party Nov. 3d, in honor of his 15th birthday, and though it has frequently been said that a woman cannot keep a secret Mrs. Davis proved that it was possible, for Mr. Davis was as completely surprised as was his son. After greeting their friends they proceeded to entertain them. Many games and parlor sports were enjoyed together with a musical program. Refreshments were served and a delightful evening was spent. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing Master Harry and his parents many happy returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holden visited friends in Otsfield, Sunday.

Chester McAllister and his mother returned to Freedom, N. H., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Glover visited her stepmother, Mrs. L. Jackson at Greenwood, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bumpus were in Welchville and Mechanic Falls on business, Thursday.

The many friends of Mrs. Peter Vehue regret that she has again found it necessary to go to the hospital.

Fred Glover was unfortunate while laying with a comrade last week and is laid up with a broken collar bone.

The ladies of the Methodist church society are to have a chicken pie supper on Wednesday evening, Nov. 16th, in the vestry of the church.

The ladies' circle of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Howard Farrington on Wednesday evening. A goodly number were out and a pleasant evening enjoyed by all.

Alfreda Haskell, little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Haskell, is six years of age. She has not yet entered school but is now using the third reader and is half way through the arithmetic.

Mrs. Charles Bisbee, or Aunt Elvira as she is usually called, from Bisbetown came on the 2d of November to spend the winter with her niece, Mrs. Howard Farrington. She is nearing her ninetieth birthday, is happy when working about the house and is wonderfully active for one of her years. She is one of Oxford county's smart old ladies.

The ladies' aid society of the Congregational church met at the parsonage with Mrs. F. A. Newport, Wednesday afternoon, and reorganized with President—Mrs. E. A. Richardson. Vice President—Mrs. C. F. Houscom. Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. J. Cook.

They are taking up the work laid down last year, and will sew for mothers who have little families of children and lack the time and for others who may need their assistance. This society seeks to be helpful.

ALBANY.

Austin Hutchinson passed through town selling meat last week.

Dexter Cummings has purchased a fine pair of oxen of Sumner Bean.

James Kimball, who has been quite sick with pneumonia, is improving.

Simon Grover and wife of Casco visited friends and relatives in town last week.

Eshburne Judkins and wife visited at Mr. Judkins' home in Norway, Sunday.

Mrs. Wallace E. Cummings and daughter Annie visited friends at Bethel last week.

Joe Carter, who has been working for Abel Andrews, has gone to Fryeburg, his home, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Grover and daughter Gladys visited at the home of Mr. Atherton Farwell at West Bethel Sunday. Grace Farwell returned with them to her school.

The ladies' circle was entertained Thursday afternoon and evening by Mrs. Willard Herriek and Mrs. Gilbert Bean. During the evening Roy Herriek entertained those who were present, sixty in number, by selections from his graphophone. The next circle will be held in the vestry December 1st. It will be entertained by four young men, Roy Herriek, Arthur Andrews, Joe Carter and Guy Johnson.

Valley Road.

Vivian Lord has secured a fine deer. Henry Rugg has moved his family to Norway.

Arthur Cross is spending a few weeks at home.

Frank Upton sold a pair of oxen to D. A. Cummings.

C. G. Becker recently purchased a fine blooded calf.

Leslie Kimball has a number of men cutting pulp wood.

Newton Moore is about the same, is able to sit up a little.

The L. R. T. Club met with Mrs. E. T. Judkins last Wednesday.

Simon Grover and wife of Casco are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity. Their son Alton is with them.

Mrs. Lizzie Smith of Welchville has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Adella Kimball, and her sister, Mrs. Lena Bruck.

The rehearsals of the drama, "Diamonds and Hearts," are going on briskly with every prospect of a fine presentation.

William McIntire, who has worked for George Cummings the past season, left for his home in Brattleboro, Vt., last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Flint will celebrate their golden wedding on Thanksgiving day. They are charter members of Round Mountain Grange.

Children's day at Round Mountain Grange, Albany, Nov. 5, an all day meeting was held. The afternoon was devoted to the following program by the children, assisted by a few of the older ones. They marched two by two into the hall, Hazel Kimball presiding at the organ, and were seated under the supervision of W. I. Becker.

Welcome song..... Grange Reading..... Gertrude Sloan
Recitation..... Leslie Kimball
Song..... Cecel Kimball
Encore..... Ella Skinner
Recitation..... Ella Skinner
Song..... Nellie and Olive Wardwell
Encore..... Bernard Allen
Recitation..... Angie Moore
Recitation..... Bernard Allen
Recitation..... Gladys Grover
Encore..... Annie Louise Wardwell (three years old)
Recitation..... Pearl Lobroke
Recitation..... Lillian Skinner
Declaration..... Grey Cummings
Recitation..... Nellie Wardwell
Recitation..... Bernard Skinner
Declaration..... Sherman Allen
Recitation..... Harold McNally
Recitation..... Annie Newcomb
Recitation..... Doris McNally
Encore..... Nellie and Olive Wardwell
Encore..... Annie Louise Wardwell
The brothers will furnish the program at the next meeting.

WEST PARIS.

Baby Show and Other Good Things.

The Universalists are to have a baked bean and vegetable dinner at Odd Fellows hall, next Friday evening, November 11th. There will also be a good variety of pies and cakes. In the afternoon at two o'clock there will be a baby show. All mothers in this vicinity are cordially invited to bring their babies under three years of age. There will be no special prizes, but each child will receive a souvenir of the occasion and the mothers will be given a free lunch of ice cream and fancy crackers. Supper will be served in the hall from 5:30 to 7 o'clock. At 7:45 an hour's entertainment will be given, consisting of music, a short comedy farce with seven characters, and selections on the graphophone by F. L. Wyman. During the afternoon and evening there will be refreshment table where ice cream, buttered popcorn and home made candy will be for sale. The proceeds go for the benefit of the Universalist Sunday-school.

Miriam P. Lane of Rumford Falls has been visiting relatives and friends here. Mrs. Roscoe Tuell has returned from a week's visit to her daughter, Mrs. Bowker in Portland.

Mrs. Jackson, widow of the late Will Jackson of Littleton, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ann Jackson.

Georgia and Linnie Marshall at Trap Corner are entertaining a young lady friend, Miss Walker, who is a bookkeeper in the Rumford Falls bank.

Will E. Pratt and family have moved from his father's house on Pioneer street back to South Woodstock. James Robinson and family are keeping house for his father.

The scholars of the village schools are preparing an entertainment to be given Friday evening, Nov. 18, at Dunham's hall. A great deal of work is being put into the entertainment, which consists of songs, dialogues, recitations, a pantomime and a cake walk.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Parker having got nicely settled in their new home on Church street, will be pleased to entertain their friends next Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 15, between the hours of three and five, wishing to become acquainted with the people in the vicinity of North and West Paris.

West Paris Grange will hold an all day meeting, Saturday, Nov. 12, with a baked bean dinner. Programme will consist of music, selections on the graphophone, etc. Two important questions are to be decided—whether to have the Grange incorporated, also to make final decision regarding the hall trade. The Grange opens at 10 a. m.

George L. Tubbs, who for some years has been running the Willis saw mill about a mile from here on the road to Greenwood, is going to move to North Paris, where he will run a saw mill for himself. He has purchased a new portable engine and rigging which he will fit up on the road for use in the woods to get settled in his new home and business by the last of December.

BETHEL.

Charles Mason remains comfortable. Thermometer 10 deg. above Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Ernest H. Pratt and little son went to Oxford Tuesday.

Thomas B. Kendall has commenced repairing on his new purchase on High street.

Fred Bartlett lost the half of his left thumb about two weeks ago from an accident in the chair shop.

The farmers' telephone line is especially much appreciated in our rural districts as well as in the village.

Joseph W. Bean of East Bethel has lately received an original pension through Grover's agency at Bethel.

Mrs. Martha A. Chapman has so far recovered from her recent shock as to be able to converse freely with her friends.

Mrs. Mervilla S. Billings passed away last Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred F. Bean. She was a U. S. pensioner.

A telephone instrument was placed in Odeon Hall Tuesday evening and a large crowd assembled there and received the news of the result of the election till a late hour.

Harry Plaisted takes charge of the R. F. D. through Albany, the 15th inst., and Geo. Bennett starts at same time over the Grover Hill, Mason and West Bethel route.

Rebekah Lodge of Bethel entertained some fifty visitors from out of town last Monday evening at their hall. A collation was furnished at the Universalist dining rooms.

Election passed off very quietly at Bethel, resulting in a ballot of 273 Republican and 101 Democrat. At the September election it stood 268 Republican and 180 Democrat.

The Somerville, Mass., Journal says: "Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo J. Bardwell announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace Mary, to Fred I. Farwell, both of Somerville." Mr. Farwell is a Bethel boy and at one time was traveling agent for the Norway Advertiser and was well known throughout the county. He has lived in Somerville for some years past.

GILEAD.

Harry E. Wight.

Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock occurred the funeral of Harry E. Wight at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wight. He was about 30 years of age. He leaves a father and mother, two sisters, Mrs. A. D. Wight of this place and Mrs. Alvin C. Scribner of Norway, and one brother, James Wight, who resides in Boston. The floral tributes were exceptionally beautiful and included a pillow from the brothers and sisters of Mountain View Grange. Mr. Wight will be greatly missed by all of his friends, who were many.

Dr. T. L. Marble was in town Monday. Fred Cole went to Gorham last Monday.

Herbert Bennett got a large buck deer last Monday.

Annie Moore was out from Hastings last Saturday.

Dr. J. A. Twaddle was in town one day last week.

Mrs. Josiah Heath is not feeling quite so well as she has for the past few weeks.

The Mountain Rills met with Mrs. J. W. Bennett last Thursday. Cake and coffee were served and all passed a very pleasant afternoon.

Advertised Letters, Norway.
Miss Nellie L. Rankin, Miss Annie McKenna, R. L. Russell, Dr. A. R. Thompson, Dr. A. R. Thompson, Dr. A. R. Thompson.

WEST STONEHAM.

An Old Fashioned Husking.

An old fashioned husking at John Adams' the 27th of October. A nice baked bean supper prepared by Mrs. Adams was served to about thirty friends and neighbors.

Cold nights and pleasant days seem to be in order now.

Hazel Keniston of North Stoneham has returned with a bad cold the past two weeks, but is better now.

School has been closed for two weeks on account of the sickness of the teacher, Flora N. Butters of East Stoneham.

Mrs. L. J. Gammon, who has been caring for the sick at Jimmie Merrill's at East Stoneham, has returned home.

Elden McAllister is building a sugar camp and summer rent in the same building on his farm near Sugar Hill.

Linwood Sawyer and Elmer Gilman of Lovell have been camping for several days in his camp near Speckled mountain.

Mrs. Minnie Farmer and Etta Gilman of No. 4, Lovell, were guests at J. C. Sawyer's last Sunday, returning Monday morning.

Mrs. J. C. Sawyer visited her daughter, Mrs. Maud McAllister of North Waterford, a few days last week. She brought her granddaughter, Eva McAllister, home with her for a few days' visit.

Thomas Nason of Windham, who has been boarding at W. Gammon's, and Herbert Adams and his brother-in-law, Mr. Frost, of Norway, recently killed a nice doe deer in the Edgar McAllister pasture, and several others have been killed in this vicinity by different parties recently.

MASON.

Charles Hanscome and Will Thomas have returned to Oxford.

Jack McKenzie has traded his large horse for a good driving horse.

Rachel Westleigh of West Bethel visited her parents a few days last week.

It is very cold weather in this vicinity and we have had several snow squalls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Morrill of Norway visited friends and relatives here last week.

E. L. Hutchinson and family have returned to their home at East Weymouth, Mass.

Frank King is at work for G. S. Westleigh, building a nice henhouse and making some repairs to the other buildings.

WEST FRYEBURG.

Mrs. Mary Walker is stopping at W. L. Mansfield's.

Louise Ballard and Calista Andrews from this section are students at Fryeburg Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Anderson have returned from a visit in the Province of Mrs. A.'s parental home.

Mrs. Fannie Charles Ridlon of Sweden has returned to her father's, An Charles', for an indefinite time.

The repairing of Weston's bridge across the Saco necessitates the people on the west side to either go by Conway Center or Fryeburg Center by the village.

reach the R. R. station or by Conway Center, Friday, for a few days' visit to her son Charles and wife, also to bring Frank home preparatory to his going to California for the winter with Gen. M. C. Wentworth of Jackson, N. H., who conducts a hotel there.

Read adv.

Thanksgiving supplies in abundance at Riddlon's.

Sure popcorn, 6 pounds 25 cents, W. C. Leavitt.

One lot of 25c neckwear marked 10 to 12 1/2 cents at Thomas Smiley's.

Buy your tobacco and cigars of E. Bicknell.

New books, all the latest at the \$1.10 kind for 50c each at Beck's.

Enameled water pails 50 cents at W. C. Leavitt's.

Best flavoring extracts at Noyes Drug Store.

That best Pearl popcorn at E. Winslow's.

Green and red trading stamps at W. C. Leavitt's.

The dollar photos at the Cottage Studio.

I want to buy some large chickens. Will give top price for some good turkeys. O. F. Brooks.

We make a specialty of repairing boots and shoes. Pine State Shoe Co. A dining room companion, good new, at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Buy your sage for Thanksgiving at A. Shurtleff & Co., South Paris. We have the finest lot of leaf sage we ever seen.

New line of china just arrived Beck's.

Buy boiled order for your minute at E. C. Winslow's.

Boilers that will wear ten years Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Garments at greatly reduced price the L. M. Lunt special sale that is held this week.

Look at the new books at Noyes Drug Store.

C. F. Ridlon will sell fresh made coconut bonbons for 10 cts. per pound Saturday, Nov. 19.

New line of dark shirt waists at Thomas Smiley's.

Christmas specials \$1.00 per dozen the Cottage Studio.

A copper boiler that will last a time, at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

All kinds of candy and nuts Thanksgiving at E. F. Bicknell's.

See the line of table linens at Th. Smiley's.

H. F. and E. E. Andrews will have horses at their stables, Friday, Nov. 19, weighing 1100 to 1600 pounds each, then right from Iowa, the baldest climated.

We keep all kinds of rides for sale to let at E. F. Bicknell's, next door Opera House.

Two brooms for 38 cents at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Buy your candy at Beck